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Arab Times wishes a Happy New Year to all our readers

GCC peace effort

UAE to negotiate with Iran on war

MUSCAT, Dec 30, (Agencies): The GCC summit which ended yesterday in Riyadh had chosen the UAE to negotiate with Iran on the Gulf war. Oman's Minister of State for Foreign Affairs

Yousuf Bin Alawi said today, Arah Times in an exclusive story from Riyadh first informed the world yesterday that the GCC will send an envoy to Tehrao for talks on the Iraq-Iran

Al Alawi, said: "The summit took a decision to negotiate with Iran." He also noted "Oman's good relatioos with Tehran."

In remarks to the state-owned daily newspaper Oman, carriedby the official Oman News Agency today, he said the talks were "aimed at reducing tension oo and paving the way for inter-national efforts" for peace.

Mediator's role

He said the summit delegated the UAE "to play a mediator's role because of its good ties with

The same newspaper yesterday quoted an unnamed summit official as saying the GCC directives moved the council away from demands to boycott Iran "to closer cootacts and consolidation of true relationships.

results, including Iranian guarantees against attacking GCC states and paving the way for international efforts to end the war," the official was quoted as saying in the newspaper.

At a press conference after the

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Minister Prince Saud Al Faisal disclosed that a report on GCC contacts with Tehrao was presented to leaders of the coun-

cil states during the summit. He added that the Gulf states had contacts with the Tehrao government before the summit and would initiate fresh dialogue after the Riyadh meetings.

The Iranian Prime Minister Mir Husseio Mousavi, when asked after a cabinet meetiog in Tehran about reports that the GCC might send an envoy to discuss peace efforts with Tebran, said: "There have been some talks in this regard and messages have been sent so far."

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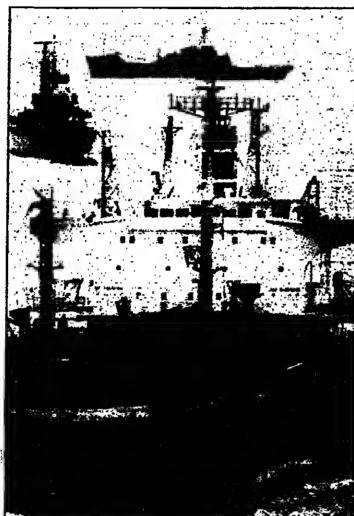
lo the event of the GCC sending an envoy to Tehran, Iran would be prepared to receive bim and listen to their words," Mousavi said.

He also reminded that "regional countries would be best advised to settle their own affairs themselves instead of rely-

ing on foreign powers."

King Fahd of Saudi Arabia, said during the GCC summit, that if the war continued to escalate, GCC members would call on foreign assistance to meet. security threats to their territory. Syria is also trying to cool ten-

"The ball is now in Iran's court. It is the interest and hope of all Arab states that Iran respond to the call of peace." Prince Saud Al Faisal said at the close of the summit.



The British frigate York (middle) moves between the Panamanian 48,225 - tonne tankar World Spring and an Iranian warship (background) which tried to intercept it on its way to the Strait of Hormuz in the southern Gulf yesterday. (Reuter wirepholo)

Carlucci coming to Kuwait

WASHINGTON, Dec 30, (Reuter): US Defence Secretary Frank Carlucci will visit Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and Bahraio oo a week-long tour of the Gulf starting on Sunday, a Pentagoo official said yesterday.

Carlucci, on his first trip to the area since replacing Caspar Weinbergeras Defence Secretary last month, will also visit US ships, the official told reporters.

Carlucci said in a television joterview last week that his trip was to prepare for advising President Reagan on the military structure needed to fulfil the US mission in the Gulf.

Americao warships have since last July escorted 22 convoys of US-flagged ships through the waterway to protect them against attacks by Iran.

In the so-called tanker war, the Iranians singled out Kuwaiti ships for attack because of its support for Iraq. Tehran's enemy in the seven-year-old Gulf

Deficit budget for Saudi Arabia

RIYADH, Dcc 30, (QNA): King Fahd Bin Abdul Aziz yesterday signed a special decree outlining the Saudi general budget for the year 1988-89.

The budget was discussed at a special cabinet meeting held yesterday afternoon.

According to the new budget, the state's income is evaluated at 105.3 billion Saudi riyals, while expenditures are expected to be about 141.2 billion Saudi riyals.

It has been decided that eight billion rivals will be taken from the general reserves and be added to the incomes. Moreover, the Ministry of Finance and National Economy will be authorised to borrow 30 billion rivals in the new year by issuing bonds.

UK frigate saves ship from attack

DUBA1, Dec 30, (Ageocies): The British frigate York placed itself between two tankers it was escorting and an approaching Iranian warship in the Gulf today.

A photographer flying over the scene 35 miles northwest of Sharjah in the United Arah Emirates, said the York intervened as the Iranian vessel turned towards the Panamanian-

flag tanker World Spring. The 48,225-tonne World Spring and the other ship under escort, the 237,285-tonne Liberian tanker World Progress, are owoed by World Wide Shipping Agency Limited of Hong

The photographer said the Iranian ship, equipped with four 40mm guos and a helicopter landing platform, made a 180 degree turn towards the smaller tanker. Formation

A taped radio conversation between the two ships showed the Iranians had first questioned

After the York identified itself as "British warship," the Iranian vessel asked it to switch radio channels and said:

"Good afternoon sir, this is Iranian warship L51. Request your tag number. The York replied curtly: "This

is British warship." "Okay ... ah ... you are in formation with two tankers," the

"This is British warship. I am

in passage in international waters," the York replied.

The photographer said the Iranian ship started manoeuvring immediately after the radio cooversation and the York took up position between it and the

World Spriog.
The helicopter then had to leave but the convoy appeared to he sailing oo.

In other developments Iraqi warplanes today attacked a ship off Iran as the toll grew in the worst mooth of the "tanker

If confirmed, the new Iraqi strike would raise the toll of ships attacked by Iran and Iraq in December to at least 29 - the highest figure in a single month io the seven-year-old war.

Five of the 28 ships confirmed hit were attacked twice, according to Lloyd's shipping intelligence unit in London.

Lloyd's said there have been at least 447 attacks or cases of war damage to vessels in the Gulf since the war started in 1980, with 178 incidents this year.

Lloyd's yesterday added two tankers to the four previously known hit in a long-range Iraqi raid on Laruk island at the mouth of the Gulf on Dec 22.

Lloyd's also reported a previously unpublicised Dec 19 strike by an Iranian frigate against the 237,285-ton Liberian flag World Progress.

ARAB@TIMES

Bumper Bingo

MR. John Fernandes has won the Third Full House prize. He will receive KD 40. The answer to the clue is 2.

Israel weighs expulsions as another Palestinian dies

TEL AVIV, Dec 30, (Agencies): A 23rd Palestinian demonstrator died after being shot during recent acti-Israeli riots and Israel's ioner cabinet met today to consider whether to carry out expulsions from occupied

territories. Mustafa Issa Al Beik, 17, who was shot in the head at Jabaiya refugee camp in the Gaza Strip on Dec 21, died overnight at a hospital in southern Israel, the Israeli Army said — the first death since the disturbances

eased a week ago. Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir summooed his 10-man inner cabioet to discuss whether to carry out expulsions from occupied territories in the face of objections from the United States, Israel's closest ally, Israel

WASHINGTON, Dec 30.

(UPI): Two diplomats from

China, ordered out of the coun-

try for "incompatible" activities,

have left the United States, the

A State Department spokes-

man said the Chinese embassy

was told on Dec 22 to arrange

the departure of the two

diplomats because they were

State Department said today.

After the meeting, the mini-sters refused to talk to reporters. Shmuet Goren, Israeli coordioator in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, said a decision was pend-

Repeat "The matter of expulsions isn't fioished, isn't agreed," he said, "I'l just repeat what the defence minister said - that expulsions are one of the means we deploy io the fight against

disturbances. Israel says it detained 900 people during two weeks of disturbances in the Gaza Strip and West Bank.

Defence authorities want to expel about 50 Palestinian activists but a decision has been postpooed because of political and

Expelled Chinese diplomats leave US

engaged in activities incompati-

ble with their diplomatic status"

- a phrase often used to refer to

matters such as spying. Both

officials had diplomatic immun-

ity and bave left the Uoited

The Washington Times, quot-

ing a source close to the case,

reported today that the

diplomats were arrested after

States, the spokesman said.

Riots, prelude

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judicial concerns, security sour-

Washington opposes expul-sions, partly in the interests of good relations with Israel's moderate neighbours, Egypt and Jordan. Israel has expelled Palestiniaos to Jordan in the past.

Capucci

PLO leader Yasser Arafai asked Archhishop Hilarioo Capucci yesterday to end a hunger strike he began eight days ago in protest at Israeli handling of unrest in occupied territories.

Officials at Rome's Arah League office, where the 63-yearold head of the Greek Catholic (Melkite) church io Jerusalem has been staging the protest, said gymao with the request.

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believed were classified national

FBI agents arrested the assis-

tant military attache Dec 21 as he

and a double agent assisting US

officials sat in a restaurant in

Washington's Chinatown, It was

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diplomat was also at the res-

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Britain will stand by Kuwait: Mellor

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This is an important part of any social life.

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DAY BY DAY

WE said that this year there

would be more flexibility, so the decision of the Ministry of

Interior cancelling New Year's celebration parties

surprised us, especially since

these parties are exactly like

any other party held at hotels

I really doo't understand

why these parties are pro-

hibited. It looks as if we are

telling the people who are

interested in celebrating this

occasion that they should

iravel out of the country to do

or "dinner with music".

HOROSCOPE '88

FIND out what is in store for you next year. Your horoscope for 1988 will be published from Jan 2.

House collapse

BOMBAY, Dec 30, (Reuter): A five-storey building housing eight families in south Bombay collapsed to heaps of concrete and twisted steel today, killing at least 18 people, police said.

Iran is not in a

position to attack

Kuwait: Saddam

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Joint security strategy approved

GCC will send envoy to Tehran for talks on war

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Opposition plan BBC correspondent in Chaka detained **Donor countries** threaten to cut off aid to Bangladesh

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Hold Islamic summit to solve Gulf problems: Hassan

A year of achievements

Kuwait with unprecedented challenges, the Arab Times had its own challenges to meet io providing the readers with informatioo on the latest developments in Kuwait, the Gulf and areas of interest worldwide.

We believe that the achievements, listed helow. speak for themselves. We have become a leader on the local media scene and have earned recognition from ahroad boosting the reputation of Kuwait's media in general.

It was a compliment to our efforts the Times magazine in its issue of Dec 28 selected the Arab Times, from all the newspapers around the world, to illustrate a page recalling the Gulf crisis in its Images of '87 section.

Some may view our accomplishments with doubt, but those familiar with the constraints under which we work, recognise our success as no small feat. Aod the drive towards new achievements does not end with

We have sought to raise standards both on the technical level with the introduction of new equipment, and on the editorial side with more-in depth coverage of local and international events.

We have revamped the Urdu pages improving the editoriat content and presentation.

We are probably most proud of the scoops and exclusive interviews that appeared oo our pages io 1987.

Working under pressing cir-cumstances the Arah Times reporters exerted their utmost efforts to dig out the most sensitive but authenticated stories.

The latest among these is the exclusive on the GCC states' intention to send an envoy for talks to Tebran, voiced during the GCC summit meeting in Riyadh. Evewitness

The Gulf crisis which

threatened Kuwait was closely followed by our staff and when the Iranian missile hit the registered tanker, Sea Isle City, in Kuwait waters our reporters were the first to interview the casualties, get eyewitoess accounts of the assault and report that the captain was blinded in the attack.

We carried a oumber of exclusive interviews with prominent leaders of the Arab world such as Kiog Hassan of Morocco, president Saddam Hussein of Iraq and President Hosni Muharak of Egypt. Our

reporters travelled to Pakistan to interview Prime Minister Junejo and opposition leader Beoazir Bhutto and to Bangladesh to interview President H.M. Ershad.

We were the first to report that foreign donors may withhold aid to Bangladesh unless stable government is established there. We were closely following chaoges in the immigration laws

and promptly reported oo any new measures affecting the status of expatriates in Kuwait. Judging by the response from

our readers these stories were well received. So were the ones on the plight of foreign workers in Kuwait. Our reporter dealing with labour issues became somethiog of an agony aunt for some expatriates embroiled in labour disputes but she also drew the wrath of some employers whose staff stoned her car.

But it was not all gloom aod doom on our pages in 1987. We introduced a locally written weekly humorous column accompanied by cartoons which treated topical issues in a lighthearted way. This turned out to be a very popular feature of the newspaper.

Recognising the fact that many of our readers are Filipinos we introduced a page dealing with issues of ioterest to this community. And for the motor sports fans we provided a detailed coverage of Middle East car

The Arab Times was the first and only newspaper so far in the Gulf to introduce the latest world stock market prices and financial reports as a regular feature on our husiness pages. We have developed our own software to produce these reports from the Reuters financial wire service.

We have already acquired the hardware which will help streamline our administrative operation.

Our reporters have done away with typewriters, manual or electric, and are now hammering oul their stories on word processors. Plans are underway to computerise the editorial department. The Urdu calligraphers who used to handwrite all the stories have been replaced with typesetting machines. Within days our photographers will move into a new studio equipped with a

modern laboratory. Our New Year resolution is simple but effective to keep up the momentum.

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Ershad

vows to

hold polis

DHAKA, Dec 30, (Reuter). President Hossain Mohammad

Ershad has said fresh elections in

Bangladesh will take place eyenif

the main opposition groups boycott the polls.

Boycott by big parties like the

Awami League or the Ban-gladesh Nationalist Party will

not hinder polls. The country has

more than 100 political parties."

The two named parties, led by Ershad's arch rivals Sheikh

Hasina and Begum Khaleda Zin.

respectively, are the key factors

in a continuing campaign by 21-opposition parties to topple him

by strikes and demonstrations.

down under pressure.

Ershad has refused to sten

Progress:

He said that repeated opposi-

tion-led strikes and violence set

hack economic and social

progress that peace-loving Ban-gladeshis would not allow it any

Ershad might again risk

he told officials yesterday.

Naxalites swap officials for jailed comrades

Sunday as they returned from a

meeting in the remote east

Godavari district and demanded

freedom for their eight captured

The Naxalites released two

women hut kept their remaining

Officials said the abductions

were apparently prompted by a

series of police raids during the

past two weeks on the group's

hideouts. Officers seized arms

and arrested the eight extremists.

A force of 400 crack
paramilitary commandos that
arrived on Monday from New
Delhi did not mount a rescue

operation because of fears for the

It was not immediately known

The Naxalites took their name

from the village of Naxalbari in

West Bengal, where they laun-

ched a bloody insurgency in the

mid-1960s to wipe out the cen-turies-old feudal system that per-

peruated large land holdings by a

small number of wealthy land-

lords in India's hackward eastern

Mao Tse-Tung's theory of incit-ing peasant rebellion and gained

momentum into the early 1970s,

The movement emhraced

The Sun said the two men

would be awarded the George medal for hravery for heroism during the Herald of Free Enter-

prise ferry tragedy.

One award, the Sun said, would go to bank manager Andrew Parker, 33, who formed a bridge with his body across a civifoct can between metal.

six-foot gap between metal beams, allowing 22 fellow pas-sengers to crawl over bim to

Michael Skippen, the ferry's 30-year-old head waiter, who stayed below deeks helping peo-

ple to safety and died as a result,

would be awarded the medal pos-

thumously, the Sun said. Details

of the Queen's speech, in which she appeared to attack the outl-

awed Irish Republican Army for

the Nov 19 bombing at Ennisk-

illen in which 11 people died, were published in six news-

papers, including the Sun, on

The BBC apologised for the

leak last week and transferred its

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whether an operation against the extremists was launched after the

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NEW DELHI, Dec 30, (AP): A left-wing extremist group today freed seven senior officials of southern Andhra Pradesh state following acceptance of their demand that jailed comrades be released without police escorts, the Press Trust of India said.

The news agency said the seven officials were freed before dawn by members of the Maoist Naxalite group after days of intense negotiations at Gurthedu in East Godavari district, 830 miles (1,335 km) southeast of New Delhi.

The state and central govern-ments agreed on Monday night to the kidnappers' demand that eight members of their group captured in the past two weeks be released from jail in exchange for freedom for the hostages.

The prisoners were let out but kept under police guard at Gurthedu while negotiations shuttled between a command post in the village and the kidnappers' jungle hideout, trying to finalise the swap, the Press Trust said. Demand

The hreakthrough came last night, when authorities agreed to the extremists' demand that the prisoners' police guards be withdrawn and they be allowed to walk out of the village, the news agency said in a report from the

state capital of Hyderabad.

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter);

The British government con-

demned a national newspaper as "absolutely disgraceful" today

for publishing embargoed details

of Queen Elizabeth's New Year's

honours list 24 hours early.
The Sun tabloid daily, which

bas bas built its reputation sup-

plying its readers with a constant

stream of nude photographs and

scandals, named the prospective

recipients of two awards on the

front page of its December 30

The incident comes less than

two weeks after BBC reporter

leaked in advance details of the

Queen's Christmas speech to

other journalists, angering Buck-

A spokesman for Prime Mini-

ster Margaret Thatcher said of

the latest hreach: "It is absolutely disgraceful." He said the

embargo would not be lifted but

that sanctions might be imposed

on newspapers in future.

The New Year's honours are bestowed by Queen Elizabeth, on Thatcher's advice.

spreading to Andhra Pradesh Members of the underground and other states and targeting Maoist group amhushed and abducted nine state officials on officials, landlords and police

Sun names two from New Year's honours list

Britain condemns

breach of embargo

Public quarrel between black leaders

Six killed in South African violence

JOHANNESBURG, Dec 30, (Reuter): A 12-year-old boy was among six people killed in Natal province, where a rising wave of hlack-against-hlack violence has touched off a rare public quarrel between two of South Africa's top hlack leaders.

A police report today covering violence in the past 24 hours listed four deaths, including the 12-year-old, in black townships near the Natal province capital of Pietermaritzburg. At least 10 bouses were burnt down. A fifth person was killed at

Mugabe

President

HARARE, Dec 30, (Reuter): Prime Minister Robert Mugabe

was proclaimed Zimbahwe's

first executive President today at

a five-minute session of the coun-

try's two bouses of Parliament.

Mugabe, 63, will be sworn in

tomorrow at an open air

ceremony, taking over from

titular President Canaan Banana

who has been head of state for the

bers of Parliament sang and dan-

ced after Mugabe, the sole can-

didate, was proclaimed elected by Didmus Mutasa, speaker of

Reform

president was created by a con-

stitutional reform abolishing the

post of prime minister and giving full executive powers to the head

It took Mutasa less than two

minutes to proclaim the election

of Mugabe, who sat in his usual front bench seat, his hands clas-

"Only one nomination paper was duly completed," Mutasa

said, explaining that there would

be no need for a vote. "I accor-

dingly declare the honourable

comrade Robert Gahriel Mugabe duly elected."

with applause from the members

of the two houses, including

several whites nominated by the

ruling Zimbahwe African National Union-Patriotic Front

Mugabe's old political rival

Joshua Nkomo, who agreed to

merge his Patriotic Front-Zim-

babwe African People's Union

(PF-Zapu) party with Zanu-PF

last week, also applauded from a

special reserved back bench seat.

parliamentary clerks in wigs and

robes, there was a riot of noise as

Minister of State for Women's

Affairs Teurai Rope Nhongo rose to her feet and led a chorus

of singing and dancing.
Women spectators in the

visitors' gallery also danced and

howled in honour of Mugabe,

who sat on his green leather bench, smiling and looking mil-

Missile treaty

\$87.5 million

WASHINGTON, Dec 30, (AP):

The US-Soviet treaty eliminat-

ing medium-range nuclear mis-

siles also eliminates the need for planned missile-launching sites

in Western Europe, saving the United States millions of dollars,

Congress decided in its closing

Apparently confident the

treaty would win Senate ratifica-

tion, Congress decided against

funding construction of the plan-

ned new launching sites, cutting

the \$87.5-million item from the

1988 US military construction

budget for Europe "These funds are denied in

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saves US

sessions.

After the formal proclamation

Mutasa, flanked by

Mugabe's election was greeted

ped before him.

(Zanu PF) Party.

The powerful new executive

Women ministers and mem-

elected

past seven years.

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intimidating people in the area,"
the terse report said. Tempo Pietermaritzhurg townships, shanty towns built on rolling hills to the west of the city, have seen about 260 killings this year, with the tempo of violence rising since

Scottburgh in a clash between tribal class while a 21-year-old

man was killed by being shot,

stabbed and set alight after petrol

and a mattress were thrown over

"It is alleged that he had been

bim near the port of Durban.

No official toll has been given, but death tallies are kept by local newspapers and a church group monitoring the strile.

The main cause of the violence is a power struggle between the conservative inkatha Zulu group and a leftist coalition of antiapartheid organisations, the United Democratic Front (UDF).

Verbal sparring has broken out between the President of Inkatha, Zulu chief Mangosuthu Buthelezi, and Nobel peace prize winner Archbishop Desmond

Tutu, whose ideology matches that of many UDF followers although be himself is not a mem-

ber of the organisation.
On Tuesday, Butheleza hit out at Tutu, who on Sunday appealed to all sides in the Pietermaritzhurg violence to end what he termed a ghastly spiral of unending killings.

Linked

In a statement, he accused Turn of political posturing and of being linked with the "labyrinth of intrigue which purposefully

Tass news agency said all three men were awarded the Order of

Lenin, the Soviet Union's top

Alexandrov went with

Romanenko to meet relatives

but Levchenko went by helicop-

ter straight to Arkalyk, from

where he piloted a TU-154 pas-

senger plane to Moscow.
On the mission to gain

experience for a future shuttle programme with reusable tock-

ets, he bad to show be could fly a

plane right after returning from a

bolds all the world space

endurance records, is keeping its

cosmonauts for longer periods in

space partly in order to test

human capacity for a future three-year flight to Mars and

But the the psychological and

medical implications of prolon-

ged weightlessness are still not

submarines by the mid-1990s

with more advanced Trident

craft and missiles. The Tridents

will also be used by the US Navy, which is currently testing them.

Special

ped with quieter propulsion sys-

tems and special insulation tiles,

have always enjoyed an advan-

tage over noisier Soviet equivalents. Moscow has con-centrated on speed for its vessels.

Britain insists none of its four

Polaris suhmarines, which stay

at sea for months on end, has ever

been detected at sea hy a hostile

iliaries" is an independent

defence manual, reviewing inter-

national naval developments.

published annually in Britain

after the Loughall incident was

"matched only by the feeling of

British warships and aux-

or allied craft.

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Western submarines, equip-

The Soviet Union, which

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violence be now decries."

He said a call for peace should first be addressed to the outlawed African National Congress (ANC) guerrilla organisation, which inkatha views as the prin-

cipal backer of the UDF.
Tutu retorted today: "Chief
Buthelezi appears to think that his leadership is enhanced by denigrating others."

He said the cause of peace would not be advanced by mud-slinging and rejected Buthelezi's

(Reuter): The Army toppled the government in the South African tribal homeland of Transkei today, the second bloodless coup in the territory in three months.

'We have taken over,"

Holomisa masterminded a

Holomisa went on Transkei

Holomisa's announcement shortly after midday. The September coup was staged by the Army in a bid to clean up Transkei notoriously

corrupt government, but the military remained upbappy about graft, government of ficials:

defence force are fighting and which was practised by the ministers who had recently been

Transkei derives most of its income from migrant labourers and from casinos built to attract South African whites whose government does not permit gamhling.

Denktash

Ozker Özgur, chairman of the leftwing Republican Turkish Party, was quoted in the party paper "Yeniduzen" (new order) as saying the court judgement's "goal is to wipe out the opposi-

case in Cyprus. The judgement was based on an article in Yeniduzen Dec 16.

emphasis.

(singular) or babalar have a double meaning. The normal meaning is father of children. A second meaning is mob leader or gang-

Cyprus. Two conservative par-

phone be had suspended the con-pititution, hanned political activity and formed a military council to run the impoverished Indian Ocean territory, set up II years ago and recognised only by Pretoria.

Holomisa, 32, said in a hrief

coup in September which led to the appointment of Stella Sigcau as prime minister of Transkei.

radio to announce the overthrow of the short-lived government. He told civil servants to go home until Thursday when he would announce more details of his

ambuncement today it had been established that Sigcau was "involved in the corruption and bribery which the Transkei removed from their posts in an anti-corruption purge.

NICOSIA, Dec 30, (AP): The leader of an opposition party in the Turkish Republic of northern Cyprus said today he will appeal a court judgement that he and his party's newspaper pay 200 million Turkish lira (\$200,000) damages to Rauf Denktash, President of the hreakaway state.

The damages, announced on Monday, are believed to be the

highest ever assessed in a libel

1985. The article used the Turkish word babalar (fathers) referring to Denkiash and his conservative political colleagues. The word was capitalised for In Turkish, the words baba

The court ruled that the latter meaning was intended in the arti-

Ozgur's party and an allied leftwing group have 22 seats in the 50-seat Parliament of the Turkish Cypriot state which covers 37 per cent of northern tics which support Denktash have 28 seats.

Army takes over in Transkei

Coup leader General Bantu Holomisa told Reuters by tele-

There was no immediate word on the fate of Sigcau, hailed by Pretoria as Africa's first woman prime minister, and ber cabinet. Residents said Umtata, the Transkei capital, was quiet after

Holomisa said in his coup

Transkei was the first homeland to be established under an apartheid plan to keep most of South Africa's territory in white minority control.

wins \$200,000 in libel damages

"All I own is a car and my wife owns a house." Ozgur told Yen-iduzen, saying he would appeal 10 a higher court.

suggestions that he was biased.

JOHANNESBURG, Dec 30.

longer.
The President urged opposition leaders to change their mind
and talk with him about resolving the political crisis in the elections if they really wan-ted people's welfare and believed in democracy," he added.

Western diplomats said

credibility if he really held elections with the major parties abstaining. Hasina said in a statement Corrupt today any election without the participation of the major parties

would be a farce Ershad imposed a state of emergency on Nov 10 to thwan the mounting opposition protests and later dissolved the one-year-old Parhament to prepare for new pollsa-

Mousavi denies Iran making chemical weapons:

NICOSIA, Dec 30, (Reuter): Iranian Prime Minister-Mir--Hussein Mousavi denied today: that Iran was making chemical weapons hut said it could do soif.

"The Islamic republic is capable of manufacturing chemical weapons and possesses the technology" the Iranian news agency.

Irna, quoted him as saying.
"But we' will produce them only when Islam allows us and when we are compelled to do so?" In London, the Independent

newspaper reported that Iran had agreed to supply Libya with chemical arms in return for It quoted informed sources in Tripoli and Tehran as saying

Iran had developed chemical mortar shells and rockets designed for use against ships, tanks and troops.
They said Libya wanted to use the anti-tank and anti-troop weapons in Chad, where clashes

forces are continuing despite a truce agreed between the two countries in September. Iran would in return receive a dozen medium-range advanced Scud-B missiles, a weapon Iran:

between Chadian and Libyan

has used to rocket Baghdad, the Independent said. Heart operation

PAVIA. Italy, Dec 30, (Reuter): Italy's first operation to implant an artificial heart in a human was carried out on Christmas Eve, doctors announced today.

A team of surgeons headed by Doctor Mario Vigano of the San Matteo Hospital in the Northern Italian city of Pavia performed the operation on a 47-year-old

The man, whose name was not released, was in good condition.

'Oldest' person dies at 114



SWANSEA. Wales, Dec 30. (UPI): A woman believed the oldest person in the world has died in a nursing home at the age of 114 years, and 210 days, hews reports said today. British newspapers reported

Anna Williams, who was born June 2, 1873 halfway through the reign of Queen Victoria, died yes terday. Williams, a former cook, did

not smoke, drink or take pills and she had said the secret of her longevity was a "nest and two veg diet. veg" diet. A spokeswoman at Swansea's

Tuxedo nursing home, where she had lived for 17 years, said, "she died of old age."



Homesick cosmonaut back to earth for New Year

MOSCOW, Dec 30, (Reuter): Homesick Soviet cosmonaut Yuri Romanenko has returned to earth after a record 326 days in space in time for traditional New Year celebrations with bis

State television yesterday showed recorded film of the Soyuz TM-3 space capsule landing with Romanenko and two colleagues on board in a blizzard on the steppes of Kazakhstan. Apparently a little shaky after

being weightless for so long, Romanenko, 43, was helped to a waiting helicopter hut doctors tbat his health was good. "I feel great. I'm satisfied with

the work I did and glad to see you on the earth of Kazakhstan," he told reporters. Soon after landing on the win-dswept plain about 80 km (50 miles) northeast of the 10wn of

the Baikonur Space Centre. The television showed bim hugging and kissing them, a lux-

ury not usually allowed to returning cosmonauts until after they bave undergone detailed medical examinations and debriefings. Soviet space chiefs had granted Romanenko concessions such as extra telephone calls,

home from the space station Mir and less work since reports in the autumn said be was bornesick. The government daily Izvestiagave an indication yesterday of the stress be has suffered when it said the cosmonauts bad bad a row with mission control, com-

plaining that they felt like 'squirrels in a wheel.

Romanenko landed with Alexander Alexandrov, 44, his

The hook said the advance was

largely due to information pas-sed to Moscow by the Walker

family spy ring jailed in the United States last year. Four

members of the family with high-

level US naval intelligence links

gave Moscow sensitive details of

communications codes and

and computer software sold hy a

subsidiary of Japan's Toshiba

company and the Norwegian

company Kongsberg Vaapen-fahrikk also helped the Soviet

Union make its submarine

its force of polaris nuclear-armed

Britain is preparing to replace

propellers nearly noiseless.

Advanced milling machinery

other technical secrets.

colleague on Mir since July, and Anatoly Levchenko, 46, the test Arkalyk, Romanenko was flown pilot who flew to Mir with the to meet his wife and children at new crew on Dec 21. Leaking of submarine secrets

to Soviets threatens Tridents LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): continue to enjoy freedom from The future effectiveness of detection by Russian bunterk-Britain's independent nuclear iller submarines?" an introducdeterrent is threatened by a tion to the book asked.

secrets to the Soviet Union, a British defence publication said But a British Defence Ministry spokesman told Reuters: "We

betrayal of Western suhmarine

have complete confidence in the quality of our submarines." The 1988 edition of "British Warships and Auxiliaries" said the latest Soviet submarines were as quiet as Western craft, making it possible for them to track

adversaries' "The element of surprise making it possible to get in the first shot in war cannot be relied

view of the Intermediate Nuclear Forces (INF) agreement which "Can there be any guarantee Western Trident submarines will will negate the need for these facilities once it is ratified," said the report of the Senate-House Defection conference committee that final-

hillion 1988 spending programme on Dec 21. Measure President Reagan signed the record-size appropriations measure into law Dec 22, just two weeks after he and Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev signed the INF treaty, centrepiece of their

ised the comprehensive 5600-

Washington summit The full details of Congress decisions were issued yesterday in 1.200 pages of fine print.

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HONG KONG, Dec 30, (Reuter): The younger brother of Afghan President Najihullah says he has defected to the guerrilla resistance and is likely to seek asylum in the West, Asiaweek magazine reported today.

In an interview with the Hong Kong-based weekly, Sidiq called his Soviet-hacked hrother a charlatan and a "power-mad Nero unable to tolerate people with different opinions.

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Irish death toll highest for five years

BELFAST, Dec 30, (Reuter): Ninety-three people have been killed this year in the Northern Ireland conflict, making 1987 the bloodiest for five years, a police spokesman said today. The Irish Republican Army (IRA), fighting to oust the Brit-

ish from Northern Ireland, has

claimed responsibility for almost

60 of the killings. Eleven of its

victims died when an IRA bomh

ripped through a war memorial ceremony in Enniskillen. The IRA, internationally condemned for last month's Enniskillen massacre, also lost eight of its guerrillas on one night in May when they were caught by British commandos as they rried to attack a police station in the village of Loughall.

Gerry Adams, president of the IRA's political wing, Sinn Fein, said in a New Year message published today that the sense of grief in the Republican Movement

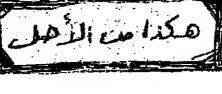
genuine regret and sorrow which followed the tragedy in Ennisk-Sinn Fein's support at the polls dipped this year in both British and Irish elections hut Adams said that, despite attempts in 1987 to 'isolate and marginalise'

Sinn Fein, the party would not go

The police spokesman, reviewing the statistics from Northern Ireland's sectarian and political conflict, said the death toll of 93 was the worst since the 1982 total Since Northern Ireland's

a civil rights campaign in 1969 for better housing, education and jobs. 2.618 people bave been killed in one of the 20th century's longest-running guerrilla conflicts. The worst year was 1972 with 467 deaths.

Roman Catholic minority began



Ozal wins vote of confidence

ANKARA, Dec 30, (AP): The new government of Premier Turgut Özal, formed after a national election victory by his Motherland Party last month, won a vote of confidence today from the single-house parliament.

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The vote was 290 to 153 in the 450-seat legislature. The rest did

Ozal won a second term in office, capturing 292 seats in the parliament with 36.3 per cent of the votes, in the Nov 29 elections.

Voting against the government were members of the main opposition Social Democratic Pupulist Party and the deputies from the eentre-right True Path

Ozal, architect of the country's ceonomic recovery programme, has promised further economic liberalisation that will include privatisation of state-owned companies, a convertible Turkish lira and free interest rates during his second five-year term

Policy goal

In his government programme presented to parliament last Friday, Ozal said gaining membership for Turkey in the European Economic Commun-

ity would be a major policy goal. might agas if he really is The Premier also predicted that by the end of bis five-year term exports would double to reach \$20 hillion and tourism revenues would go up to \$5 billion from \$1.5 hillion.

During the dehate on the programme, televised nationwide for the first time, opposition party speakers criticising Ozal's failure to lower inflation, expecred to reach 60 per cent this year.

Ozal said his failure to reduce the high inflation was due to the country's high economic growth rate of 7.5 per cent annually for the past two years.

Former Premier Suleyman Demirel, now the leader of the True Path Party, warned that the country would soon find itself in a major debt-servicing crisis.

Assad gets Gorbachev's message

DAMASCUS, Dec 30, (AP): Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev has sent a letter to President Hafez Assad briefing him on the outcome of the superpower summit in Washington, the Syrian

news agency reported today. The letter was delivered today by Karen Brutents, deputy chairman of the international relations department at the central committee of the Soviet Communist Party, tn Syrian Vice President Abdul-Halim Khad-

dam. Soviet Ambassador to Damascus, Alexander Dzasokboy, attended the meeting, said the Syrian Arab News Agency.

It said Kbaddam was also hriefed on the Dec 7 summit between Gorhachev and US President Ronald Reagan. The two leaders signed a paet eliminating intermediate-range nuclear missiles from their arsenals.

"Various issues concerning the (Middle East) area and bilateral relations were also discussed during the meeting." Syria is Moscow's main Arah

On Tuesday, Brutents met with Abdullah Al Ahmar, the assistant secretary general of the ruling Arah Baath Socialist Party.



South Korean rlot police pushes eway a fermer demonstrating outside the US Embassy against the possible lifting of a ban on imports of US beef. (Reuter wirephoto)

S. Korea prepares for assembly polls

Opposition urged to reunite

SEOUL, Dec 30, (AP): Opposition leader Kim Young-Sam today called for the two main opposition parties to reunite to work for defeat of the ruling party in the upcoming legislative elections.

Kim Young-Sam urged the hreakaway Party for Peace and Democracy (PPD) to return to the Reunification Democratic Party (RDP) for a unified fight against the ruling party in the elections for the National Assembly.

"The opposition camp's unity is absolutely necessary in the coming general elections to surely carry out democratisation," he said. The rival PPD, headed by

opposition leader Kim Dae-Jung, promptly rejected the call. The two Kims split the opposition by both insisting on running for President in the Dec 16 elec-

tion despite widespread pleas for

a single candidate. Kim Dae-Jung and his followers split away from the RDP to form a new party in mounting their presidential bid. Apology

Ruling party candidate Roh Tae-Woo won the election with 36.6 per cent of the vote, and the two Kims apologised to the nation after admitting their split had robbed the opposition vic-tory, Kim Yuung-Sam got 28 per ecnt of the vote and Kim Dae-Jung got 27 per cent, according to the National Election Com-

The opposition has charged the government resorted to massive fraud to win the election, but has provided little evidenec. Most people ignored opposition calls for protests after the election, instead blaming the two Kims for the defeat.

Kim Young-Sam had rebuffed earlier calls from Kim Dae-Jung

to reunite to oppose the ruling party after Roh's victory.

"It is in accord with reason and the people's aspirations that the opposition camp he united around the Reunification Democratie Party," Kim

Young-Sant said today. He again blamed Kim Dae-Jung for political ambition that split the opposition and ensured government vietnry, "Kim Dae-Jung should recog-

nise the fact that he quit the RDP and turned away from efforts to field a single opposition can-didacy simply to enable him to run," Kim Young-Sam said. The rival PPD denounced Kim

Young-Sam's call as an empty gesture and said it was "a political show to deceive the people once again." A date for the National

Assembly elections, which must be beld before April, has not yet

Seven letter bombs mailed to Israel

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM. Dec 30, (AP): At least seven letter bombs originating in Turkey were mailed to addresses in Israel and Jewish settlement in the occupied West Bank, police said slight injuries when one of the bombs exploded.

The remainder of the bombs were defused without causing injuries, police said in a statement.

The bombs were disguised as Christmas cards and the typ-ewritten return address was listed as D. Nissim, Istanhul, Turkey, on all the white envelopes, the statement said.

Alert Police said letter bombs were mailed to Haifa and the Jewish West Bank settlement of Kiryat Arba. Israel Radio said other letter bombs were sent to Tel Aviv, the Tel Aviv suburh of Ramat Gan and the town of Or Yehuda near Ben Gurion international

airport. In Or Yehuda, two men were slightly injured in their hands when they touched the envelope and it exploded, the radio said. One of the men was hospitalised.

A security official in Kiryat Arba said three envelopes were sent to the settlement on Tuesday. He said one resident alerted authorities when she saw two cables sticking out of the

As police defused the bomb, a mailman passed by and told authorities he had delivered two identical letters to two other Kiryat Arba residents, said the official, Yaacov Gadon.

Police picked up the additional envelopes and examined them in a laboratory, Gadon said.

Asked if he had any idea why the bombs were sent, Gadon said: "We are Jews, that's

enough." Yitzbak Tauh, the general director of Israel's postal service, said that after the bombs were discovered in Kiryat Arba on Tuesday, postal employees were placed on alert throughout the

"Throughout the night we prepared for better supervision and instructed our personnel, and as a result, we discovered such envelopes in Haifa, Tel Aviv and Ramat Gan," Tauh told Israel Radio

Volcano erupts in Indonesia

JAKARTA, Dec 30, (UPI): More than 1,200 people have been evacuated from an Indonesian island following sudden volcanie eruptions, officials said

The 7,815-foot (2,382m) Mount Mandosawu of Flores Island in the eastern Indonesian provinec of East Nusa Tenggara, 1,450 km east of Jakarta, started erupting Monday night. No casualties were reported.

An official in the provincial capital of Kupang said the volcano spewed sulphur and dust Tuesday. Lava was reported burning forest areas and clove plantations at the foot of the mountains.

It was also reported that earth tremors were felt by villagers before the eruption.

People living in the surrounding areas had never seen the volcano erupt, the official said. "We have evacuated more

tban 1,200 people from the nearest villages," he said, adding that another 3,500 are ready to be evacuated. Most are being housed in

schools and government buildings in a district about 20 km east of the volcano.

Ramos foresees a hard year for Aquino

Philippines faces rebellions

MANILA, Dec 30, (Agencies): Philippine Army leaders today warned against an intensified communist insurgency war and a resumption of the dormant Muslim separatist rebellion in

The military made its warning as communist rebels started to close 1987 with a bang, gunning down an Army majur in his car and storming a police station and an Army patrol base in three provincial attacks.

Armed forces chief General Fidel Ramos at a news conference cited the communist New Penple's Army "as the most serious and enduring problem" facing President Corazon Aquino's government in the

coming year.

Ramos said he expected the NPA to exploit the fluid political situation and the country's economie bardsbip "by intensifying tactical nperations and urban terrorism" to weaken both the government and the armed for-

Major-General Eduardo Ermita, Ramos deputy, said Muslim rebels dreaming of a separate homeland on Mindanao island in the south were also girding for war. A tenuous ceasefire has been in effect in the

area since early 1986. They are preparing for a

Sinhalese storm police station

COLOMBO, Dec 30, (UPI): Fifty shotgun-wielding Sinhalese extremists stormed a police station at dawn today in southern Sri Lanka, injuring two police officers, locking a number of others in a cell and taking weapons and explosives, police

A spokesman at police headquarters in Colombo said two men walked into the station in Kahawatte about 210 km southeast of the capital on the pretext of filing a complaint, then assaulted two police officers and

tied them up.
A group of 50 attackers armed with shotguns entered the station, shot a reserve sergeant in the chest and stabbed a police constable, the spokesman said. Both were hospitalised.

An unspecified number of other officers was herded into a cell and locked up, he said. The raiders broke into the station armoury and took machine guns, rifles and ammunition.

They also ransacked an explosives depot maintained in the station hy a governmentowned construction company and escaped after deflating the tires of police vehicles, the spokesman said.

Army troops were rushed to the area to support some 500 police in a search for the raiders The spokesman blamed the

dawn attack on the outlawed Janatha Vimukthi Peramuna, or People's Liberation Front, a leftwing Buddhist Sinbalese extremist group that advocates the overthrow of the government of President Junius Jayewardene for signing an accord with India aimed at ending the island nation's civil war by giving greater autonomy to minority mainly Hindu Tamils.

China mourns **New Zealand** scholar

BEIJING, Dec 30, (AP): Acung Premier Li Peng led mourners paying their last respects today to Rewi Alley, a New Zealand writer and poet who spent 60 years in China.

Alley died in Beijing on Sun-

day at the age of 90. Li, Agriculture Minister He Kang and other senior officials bowed three times in traditional Chinese style and circled the hier where the body of Alley lay. The room at the Beijing hospital was lined with wreaths sent by Chinese officials, friends and the New Zealand government. Communist Party leader Zhao

Ziyang sent a message of con-dolence saying Alley "made consistent efforts in the past 60 years to sympathise with and support China's revolution and construction and made valuable contributions to it, thus winning the Chinese people's respect and love."

The official Xinhua news agency said Zhao could not attend today's ceremony because he was out of town. New Zealand Prime Minister

David Lange said in a statement that Alley was a man bis country could be proud of, Xinhua reported from Wellington, New Zealand. He said Alley never wavered in sharing his experience with the Chinese people in helping them transform their nation.

Alley wrote 34 books describing China and praising the policies of the Communist Party. He also published 18 collections of his own poetry and translated 11 volumes of Chinese poetry.

resumption of hostilities," Ermita said, adding that the Muslims apparently intended to time an offensive with the Organisation of Islamic Conference's

Jordan. Status

annual meeting next March in

The rebel Moro National Liberation Front is seeking to upgrade its status in the OIC from observer to full member. Some members of the OIC back the rebellion.

Ramos said "ultra-rightist groups" were also expected to continue trying to destabilise the Aquino government with commando-style attacks. He appeared, however, 10 rule

out the possibility that such groups, composed of mulinous soldiers and die-hard civilian followers of nusted President Ferdinand Marcos, could mount as serious a coup attempt as that which nearly loppled Aquino last August.

Despite the threats from the

right and left. Ramos said the military was confident "internal security ... will be stabilised" in the coming year.

Ramos dismissed claims by

former US Defence Undersecretary Richard Sulwell that Aquino's Army was incapable of fighting the communists and that captured coup leader Colonel Gregorio "Gringo" Honasan still enjoyed significant Army

Meanwhile, communist rebels were reported today to he demanding ransom of 2 million pesos (\$100,000) for two South Korean engineers kidnapped last month at a road construction site

The Manila Journal quoted military sources in the area as saying the demand was made last week in a letter from the rebels to the military in Ilocos Norte province.

in northern Luzon.

According to the newspaper, the letter said Choi Sung-Kwon, 30, and Han Buk-Soo, 50, were in good health. The letter also reportedly demanded radin equipment and a withdrawal of troops from the area near where the captives were being held.

The two were abducted Nov 10 by New People's Army guerrillas at a highway ennstruction project of the Hanil Development Corp. near Pagudpud in northern Luzon.

Compensation Two other Korean engineers. also employed by Hanil, were kidnapped by rebels last year but released after 52 days in cap-

Last week, the Korean Residents Association of Manila sent a petition to President

Corazon Aquino urging her to help negotiate for the engineers'

in another development Aquino has pledged compensa-tion to the families of the estimated 1,600 people who died Dec 20 in the collision of a passenger ship and oil tanker.

The investigators said they may be unable to determine who was responsible for the collision of the 2,215-ton passenger ship Dona Paz and the 629-ton oil tanker Vector.

The vessels collided in the Tablas Straits off Mindoro Island, exploded and sank. Only two crewmen, both from the Vcctor, were among the 26 survivors.

The coast guard said Tuesday only 108 bodies had been found and earlier figures were wrong because of multiple reporting n bodies. It said Friday that 292 bodies had been recovered, but revised that in 133 on Saturday.

During a memorial service last night at a sports complex, where bodies of vieums have been taken for identification. Mrs Aquino told relatives that her government will consult them on compensation and other actions.

Rudy Villanueva, legal officer of coast guard marine inquiry board probing the collision, said his panel was hampered by a lack

of witnesses.

West sending experts in disguise: Tass

Kabul to try French newsman their forays into their homeland, might be charged with spying.

Bakhtar.

MOSCOW, Dec 30, (Agencies): A French journalist captured by Soviet-backed Afghan forces in northern Afghanistan in September will be out on trial soon. the official Soviet news agency Tass reported today. Tass said the Afghan auth-

orities had completed an invesugation into the case of Alain Guillo, a freelance news photographer arrested on Sept 12 for illegally entering Afghan-istan with Pakistan-hased Muslim rebels.

It said Guillo, 45, had also been investigated for "collecting information infringing on the state and military interests of the Republic (of Afghanistan)."

The trial of the above-mentioned person will take place in the nearest future," Tass said in a report from Kabul quoting the official Afghan news agency

Tass also charged that Western doctors and journalists entering Afghanistan with the guerrillas are actually military advisers.

Advisers

"Those are far from being tourist or reporters trips," the Soviet news agency said.

The accusation, which appeared to threaten American

journalists who routinely accom-

followed a Soviet claim that an American adviser bad been killed during a recent Soviet-Afghan offensive,

Reports on the campaign to lift the siege of the city of Khost, which Moscow said Tuesday had been successful, said an American adviser was among the dead. However, Foreign Ministry spokesman Gennadi Gerasimov said Tuesday he did not know his identity.

"The emergence of US advisers in the territory of Afghanistan among extremist groups adds a new and highly dangerous element to the US policy of the undeclared war against the Afghan people," Tass said.

the country within two weeks.

A Home Ministry statement

said the government took action

against the Christian Conference

of Asia (CCA) because it had

breached an undertaking not to

indulge in any political activity

or allow its funds to be used for

political purposes."
The ministry said the CCA

made the promise in 1974 when it

moved its headquarters from

executives were not disclosed

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pany Afghan Mujahedeen on The wording suggested be Review resists Singapore press curb

No apology, says magazine

SINGAPORE, Dec 30, (UPI): interview that the Review bad The editor of a weekly news magazine refused to comply with a deadline set by Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew to retract and apologise for allegations in an

article riling Lee. "We are denying the article is defamatory in any way," said Derek Davies, editor of the Far Eastern Economic Review.

Davies said attorneys for the Hong Kong-hased news magazine informed lawyers representing Lee that there will be no retraction, apology or damages paid over the Dec 17 article focusing on a meeting between Lee and a Roman Catholic Church delegation.

Lee set today as the deadline for Davies to indicate compliance with his demands or settle the issue in court. Davies said in a telephone

experienced many forms of banning or censorship hy other governments," but he called Sin-gapore's method of restricting circulation "invidious."

The government announced Saturday that it was slashing the circulation of the review from 9,000 to 500 copies a week, the fourth publication in 14 months to have its circulation drastically cut over charges of meddling in Singapore's domestic politics. Ban

Other publications bit hy similar restriction orders were Time magazine in October 1986, the Asian Wall Street Journal in Fehruary and Asiaweek in October. Meanwhile, Singapore dis-

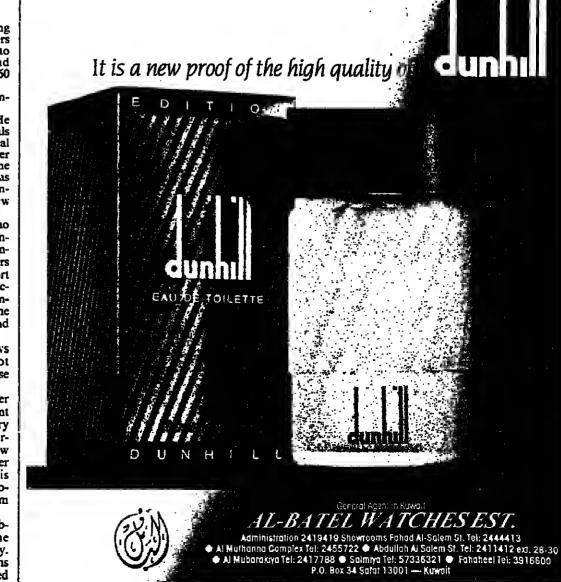
solved a Christian ecumenical

organisation today and ordered

its five foreign executives to leave

and telephone calls to the CCA. offices went unanswered. The statement accused the CCA, a regional organisation concerned with promoting Chrisuan unity, of using Singapore as a base to support "liberation movements" in other Asian countries and helping to fund

pro-communist movements.



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War and starvation

JUBA, Sudan, Dec 30, (Reuter): Mass starvation is looming in Sudan's southern Equatoria province with rebels mining roads and blocking food convoys

reaching emaciated refugees. A senior provincial official told Reuters that war and drought had brought the spectre of starvation to 900,000 people

representing 75 per cent of
Equatoria's entire population. Refugees arriving in the

provincial capital Juha said people were dying every day from diseases related to malnutrition in the barren wastelands they had deserted. They cited Nimule on the

Ugandan border as one of the

worst-affected areas. A reporter, on a two-week tour of the region, saw 7,000 destitutes ekeing out an existence in Lulugu refugee camp on the outskirts of Juba, largest town in southern Sudan.

Children with matchstick legs clung to exhausted mothers too weak to breast-feed them and men were reduced to walking skeletons. The camp depends entirely on erratic food handouts which were becoming increasin-

Twice I was attacked and

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them there was simply no food

and they should wait," said an

official of the private relief

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agency Sudan Aid.

Those in Lulugo camp are among 40,000 displaced southerners who have trekked to Juba to escape the civil war raging in other parts of Equatoria. For more than four years, the

Sudan People's Liberation Army (SPLA) in the mainly Christian and animist south has fought to topple the central Khartoum government in the predominan-tly Muslim and Arabised north. The fighting has made homeless at least two million of the

Officials said the rebels were mining roads and blowing up bridges, which meant few food convoys could get through to Equatoria from neighbouring

three months because the SPLA sabotaged a bridge inside southern Sudan. Equatoria has been the least affected of the three southern regions by the bush war. Yet an

homes in the conflict. In Lulugu, few men seemed to have the energy or the will to do anything and all in the camp

World Food Programme consignment arrived in Juba by plane from Khartoum.

ravage south Sudan

south's six million people.

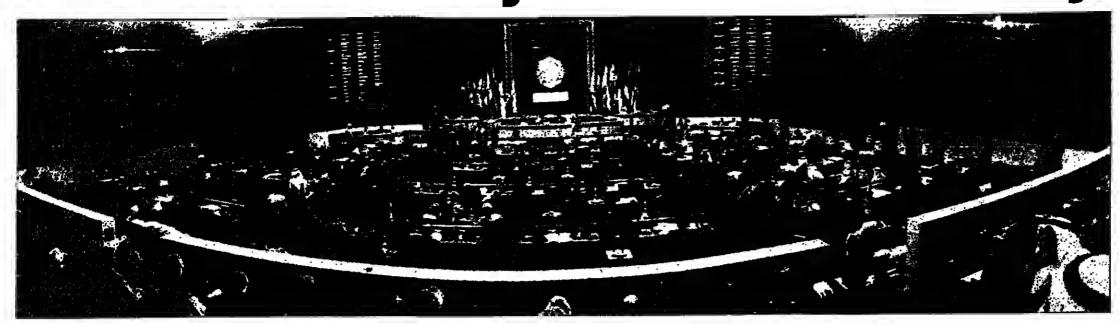
Kenya, Zaire and Uganda. Some 1,00 tonnes of food sent by the European Community has been stuck in northeast Zaire for

estimated 100,000 people have lost their eattle, their land or their

depend on relief food. Five days before Christmas, a

Arab Times takes a look back at 1987

A momentous year in the history of Kuwait





HH the Amir chairing the Islamic aummit

A general view of the Islamic summit

THE year 1987 was arguably the most dramatic year in Kuwait's recent history with the country becoming embroiled in the Iran-Iraq war to the extent that its security cannot be safely contemplated unless the end to the con-

flict is negotiated.

Despite the bloodshed and intensive peace efforts the year ended on a similar note it had begun - with hopes that the following year will see an end to the conflict, which has taken more than a million lives.

Peace was an elusive commodity in 1987. The year began with an Iranian offensive and ended with raging battles on the war front. The tanker war got out of control, with shipping serving Kuwait being among the chief targets of Iranian attacks. There were more foreign navy ships to guard the sealanes in the Gulf than ever before. But more commercial vessels were assailed than in any of the previous years since the tanker war began to 1984.

Although Kuwait's ships and territory were the targets of iran's missile attacks, and several explosions and fires sent disturbing signals to the authorities, the year was more significant for the tension these incidents caused than for the actual loss of life and material

Throughout the year Kuwait was walking a tightrope performing its balancing act in an effort to ward off the attacks from outside and to maintain peace and stability inside the country.

Sheltered

It was a year that required stamina and pluck from Kuwait's leaders, a year of vigilance, trial and frustration as well as a renewed conviction that



HH the Crown Prince and Premier, Sheikh Saad.

peace efforts must be contioued. Although history will be the best judge of past actions it can be safely said that Kuwait was sbeltered from a foreign aggression and contained the elements

threatening its internal stability. diplomatic activity for Kuwait, which led and supported just about every peace initiative that aimed to end the Gulf war. Being the subject of iranian attacks

itself - Iran fired eight missiles at Kuwait in 1987. — Kuwait canwassed for support from the

international community. lo this it was successful as it was geoerally recognised that the country was in danger of being dragged into a war against its own will. The GCC countries repeatedly voiced their unwavering support for Kuwait. Kuwait's friendly relations with the superpowers and the EEC countries also paid off, and these countries heeded Kuwait's appeals and warnings.

Egypt and the US assured Kuwait that it will not face the enemy alone in the unlikely event of an Iranian invasion.

Richard Armitage, the US Assistant Secretary of Defence told Kuwaitis last September: "I don't think anyone in the West would allow any of the GCC states to come under Iranian domination. In fact US and other forces are here (in the Gulf) to stop Iran's hegemony in the

A way for a more tangihle support from Egypt was cleared when Kuwait resumed diplomatic relations with that North African Arab state.

While its defence forces stepped up their vigilance and vowed to repulse any attacks, Kuwait focused its efforts on achieving peace. In January it played host to the Islamic summit conference which brought together 43 of the 46 member countries of the Organisation of Islamic Conference (O1C).

Irao did not attend the conference missing a good oppor-tunity for an honourable solution to its conflict with Iraq. The conference urged the belligerents to withdraw to the international borders and emhark on the exchange of prisoners of war but saw no point in sending a delegation to iran.

Throughout the year Kuwait played a significant role in promoting peace efforts within the OIC, the GCC and the Arab eague.

At the same time it contemplated new measures to protect its shipping, which suffered frequent attacks blamed on iran. and insure free flow of its oil exports from the Gulf. its decision to re-register its tankers in foreign countries, namely the five permanent members of the security council, that these countries were to dispatch fleets to the Gulf to escort vessels registered in their countries.

Kuwait first chartered three Soviet vessels in May. Then in July and August, 11 Kuwaiti tankers were re-registered in the US. Three other Kuwaiti vessels were registered in UK.

Steps to re-register the tankers followed a series of threats against Kuwait unleashed by Iran, the discovery of mines in Kuwaiti waters and repeated attacks on its shipping.

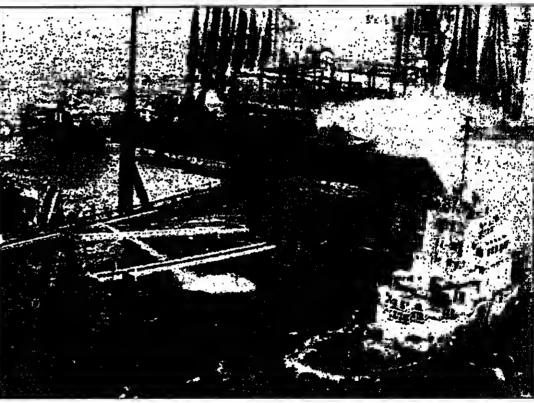
Kuwait denounced Iran and protested against its hostile acts at the United Nations.

Kuwait's Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister. Sheikh Sahah Al Ahmed said moves to register oil tankers in the US and charter Soviet tankers reflected the country's desire to safeguard its main source of income. The agreements were commercial in nature. he said, denying that repeatedly stressed that the protection of ships in the international waters was the responsibility of the international com-

and Holland sent fleets complete with minesweepers to the Gulf while Britain strengthened its Armilla Patrol. Their role was to



Part of Ahmadi pipeline which was damaged by explosions.



Fireboats extinguishing the fire at the off loading terminal after it was hit by an Iranian

ensure the freedom of navigation in the Gulf.

The ceasefire resolution was accepted by Iraq but rejected by Iran and the war resumed while the UN Secretary General continued peace efforts which eventually yielded no results. Hostilities escalated towards the end of the year with Iran firing seven missiles at Kuwait in September, October and December. Following the missile attacks in September which were aimed at the oil installations and industrial projects hut caused no damage, Kuwait expelled five Iranian diplomats.

A re-registered tanker was hit in Kuwaiti waters in October and the US promptly retaliated by blowing up an Iranian oil rig. An Iranian missile also hit an oilloading terminal in Kuwait. Kuwait denounced Iranian

two oil wells and an artificial island in Ahmadi: setting fire to Mina Abdullah refinery in June 1986 and rioting in Front of the Bayan Police station earlier this

In June six people were given death penalty by Kuwait's State Security Court for sabotaging vital oil installations and plotting to undermine the government. They were among 16 people on trial since April 4, 1987, Four of the 16, including two sentenced to death, are still at large.

The defendants were charged with sabotage at key oil sites in June last year and in January 1987. Other charges were plot-ting to undermine Kuwait's territorial integrity and social economic fabric.

opening said they had acted against Kuwait's unity and

An indictment at the trial's

Caches of American, Soviet and Israeli arms were seized from

Time and again Kuwait's

leaders have reiterated their stance on dealing strictly with 'enemies of state." HH the Crown Prince and Premier Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah asserted (June 9, 1987): "It is not the policy of Kuwait to generalise the use of repression. It is only used in cases that need firmness and severity against those who think they can touch the state's security and the safety of the society." He classified the recent incidents in Kuwait as "political crimes" which would be dealt with strict measures.

slandered HH the Amir according to a prosecutor. Those charged were between the ages of 14 On June 15, 1987, the trial of

in Kuwait's stand on Arah or

On June 9, 1987, eight people.

including seven Kuwaitis, were

charged for allegedly inciting

violence and distributing sub-

servise material - leaflets incit-

ing the overthrow of the Kuwaiti

political system by violent and unlawful means. The leaflets

international issues

26 rioters began. Of the total 25 were Kuwaitis. They were tried on charges of rioting, violently resisting security forces and disturning order. The defendants between the ages of 17 to 37 "gathered in public places with an intent to resist authorities and disturh peace and order," a charge sheet made in January

On June 27, the State Security Court began the trial of 15 Kuwaitis on security charges. Seven defendants including three minors (one minor still at large) were accused of "inciting the overthrow of the country's regime by unlawful aod violent

means." Eight other Kuwaitis, aged 20 to 37, went on trial for obstructing the course of justice and attacking security men in a riot in Jaouary this year, during which a

cernar was jojured. foreigner were sentenced to jail terms ranging from six months in seven years from anti-state activities.

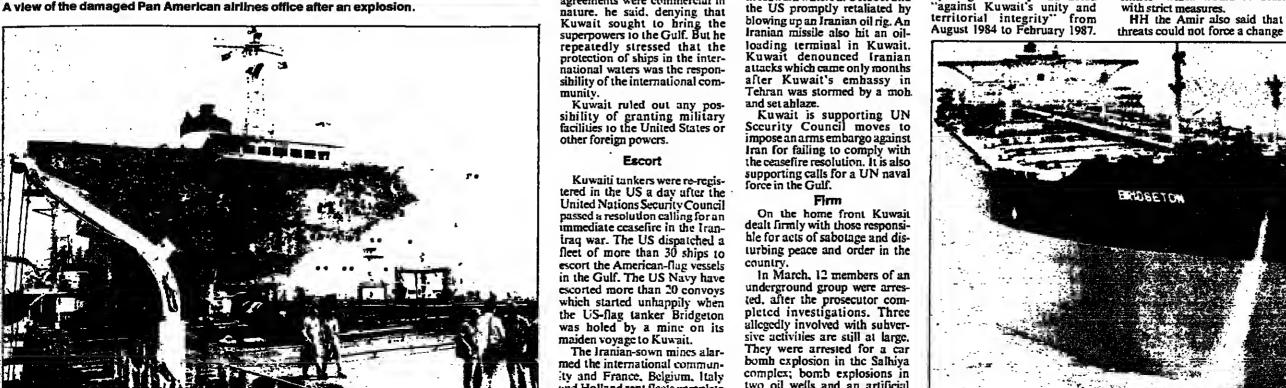
seeking to topple the government by force and distributing antistate leaflets received the stiffest sentences of up to seven years with hard labour.

Law The authorities also moved to close the loopholes in the immigration and residence laws. in April new amendments to the residence law were announced spelling strict punishment for those who traded in visas and

residence permits. In September the immigration department announced that expatriates staying in Kuwait illegally would be granted a three-month grace period all-owing them to leave the country and normalise their residence formalities. This was extended later to the end of January, 1988. The new measures also specified that expatriates who remain outside Kuwait for more than six months would automatically lose their residence even if they are ignorant of the law which came into force on July 5.

The New Year may not hring quick solutions to the Gulf problems.

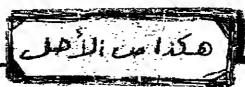
Kuwait has done a lot to alert the world to the perils of prolan-ged hostilities in the region. It now counts on the international community to take decisive steps to put an end to the war which flared up in 1987 to make it one of the years many would be happy



The US-flag Bridgeton which was holed by a mine in the Guif.



The Sea isie City after misslie attack.



Palestine.

Sheikh Saad made the remark

in an audience with a Palestinian

delegation that included director

of the Palestine Liberation

Organisation office here Awni

Battasb at the Council of Mini-

sters premises yesterday. Sheikh Saad said all Arabs

stand with the Palestinian people

io their just fight against the

Israeli occupatino. He noted that, Kuwait's sup-

port to the Palestinian cause is a

Sheikh Saad appreciated the

Palestinian contribution in the

progress of Kuwait, stressing the

For his part the PLO represen-

tative here expressed thanks for

the Kuwaiti support of the Pales-

unian uprising and revolution-

support and snlidarity with Kuwait against any aggression.

Battasb renewed the PLO's

national and pan-Arah duty.

liberation of Palestine

Austrian minister offers to mediate to halt Gulf war

THE visiting Austrian Minister of Interior Karl Blecha yesterday expressed Austria's readiness to contribute in mediations to halt the war between Iraq and Iran.

Blecha told Kuwait news agency in an interview that Austria, as a neutral country, is always ready to play a role to end the Iraq and Iran conflict, stressing that Vienna supports the United Nations' Security Council resolution 598 ordering an end to the Gulf war.

"This war cannut be halted, but by a peaceful solution to be accepted by the warring parties," he said, adding that Austria supports an arms embargo against the party that continues the war. Denied

Press reports had reported that Iran had acquired 140 Austrian-made artillery pieces through an Arab state. The minister denied that his visit to kuwait was aimed at sign-

ing an arms deal, noting it is to exchange expertise and information in the police and security fields.
"The Kuwaiti police does nnt

need large quantities of arms." the minister said, noting that his visit came in response to an invitation from his Kuwaiti counterpart Sheikb Nawaf Al Ahmed,

Blecha concludes a five-day visit here and leaves for Dubai in the United Arab Emirates on a private visit.

Role On Arab-Austrian relations, Blecha said former Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kriesky had played a distinguished role in enhancing these relations and had various positive stances toward the Arah issues in general and the Palestinian question in

Speaking on the state of relatinns under current Austrian President Dr Kurt Waldheim, Blecha said the Arab-Austrian ties are healthy, adding, Waldheim since he was UN Secretary-General had been keen on . cementing such links.

On international organised terrnrism, Blecha said such terrorism cannnt be comhatted unilaterally but through collec-

tive cooperation and cogrdination between states, stressing that bis country cooperate with the Arah states to combat terror-

Tour

Meanwhile, Blecha and his accompanying delegation yes-terday visited the special forces

The minister was briefed on the special forces activities by assistant general director of the public administration for security installations Colonel Nasser Al Othman and director of the special forces Colonel Bader Al Marzouk.

They viewed a live exercise of dispersing acts of rioting and mock operation of aborting an attack on a motorcade. They also exchanged token

gifts nn this occasinn. Later in the day, the Austrian Interior Minister visited "Sadu House" in Kuwait City, where he was acquainted with bednuin wool weaving.

Blecha expressed admiratinn at the traditional Kuwaiti hand-





Palestinian women singing patriotic songs. (Picture by Ahmad Al Borigni).

Palestinian women hold sit-in A SIT-IN was held at the PLO Women's Union Headquarters in Jahriyah yesterday to express

Siham Al Dabbagh, head of the Women's Union, said that many telexes and messages were sent to organisations like the United Nations, the Organisa-tion of Islamic Conference and

other international bodies which support the PLO's stand against Israeli nppression. She said that the main purpose of the sit-in was to let the people in the occupied territories know that "we are supporting them in their strug-

She explained that even the Arabs of Al Jalcel who were given Israeli citizensbip in 1948 have condemned the Israeli

the UN Security Council resolu-

The British media highlighted

today the importance of the

GCC summit, underlining that

there are signs that the tides are

changing in the Gulf against

The Times oewspaper stressed

that the Amman summit and the

Gulf Cooperation Council meet-

ing have succeeded in bringing to

the world's attenuon the great

dangers involved in any further

escalation in the Iran-Iraq dis-

Sanctions

Another influential news-

paper the Financial Times ooted

that the Security Council was fin-

ally moving towards the enact-

meot of sanctions against Iran

The main husiness daily called

for the adoption of a new UN

resolution giving "the teeth" to

the previous document passed hy

The paper condemned Iran for

However, it raised doubt as to

the Security Council on July 20.

not showing the necessary flex-

ibility to accept a UN ceasefire

wbether an arms embargo would

end the war or cut Iran's supply

Later, senior government

sources in London said that

Britain shared the GCC's con-

cern about the continued escala-

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They emphasised that the Brit-

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victims of the uprising, and their families through various confidential channels. She commented that the upris-

this mnney would be sent in the

ing is the real beginning of the Palestinian renaissance inside the occupied territories and if continued it would inevitably lead to the restoration of Palestinian rights.

The Palestinian community in Kuwait has responded enthusiastically to the uprising and the people in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip are fully aware of this support, she added.

Kisr focusing on developing

food resources

DR Homoud Rqobab, the Director of Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research (Kisr), said that the research done at Kisr focused on developing food and water resources, the nil and petrochemical sector and the environmental and industrial production studies. He added that the most important achievement of the institute for 1987 was getting three patents for agricultural and chemical

inventions. Al Roobah said that Kisr had completed a programme of producing 40 tons of subaiti fisb at its pool this year and had nffered these fish for sale oo the local market. He added that Kisr had also suhmitted a plan to the Public Authority for Agriculture and Fish Resources to develop Kuwait's fish resources during

the coming 20 years.
The director said that Kisr will lcarry out several projects in 1988 which include studies on ways to develop hamour fish production and the effect of food and climate on poultry.

No decision vet on AIDS treatment centre

YOUSEF Al Ateeqi, the Assistant Undersecretary for Public Services of Kuwait's Health Ministry, said that the ministry had not yet reached a decision about whether to establish an AIDS treatment centre in Kuwait. He added that the questinn is still being studied and that no budget has been allocated for such a project at this time, but if the centre is approved it will be for treatment of all cootagious diseases, not just for AIDS.

Al Ateeqi said that a hospital will be built in the Mishref area to serve people in that area and some of the people in Adan Health area.

Sheikh Saad **Amir receives** lauds heroic cable from **Palestinian** King Fahd struggle

HH the Amir has received a cable fram Custodian of the two Holy Shrines, King Fahd Bin Abdul Aziz of Saudi Arabia in reply to HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister Sheikh Saad Althe one which the Amir sent to Abdullah yesterday expressed the Saudi monarch nn Tuesday pride in the heroic Palestinian following the conclusion of the struggle for the liberation of eighth GCC summit in Rivadh.

In his reply cable, the Saudi monarch expressed heartfelt pleasure at having played host to the Amir during the four-day summit.

King Fahd pointed out that the GCC leaders gathering embodied bonds of amity and fraternity between their six states making up the council.

The custodian of the two Holy Mosques asserted that efforts, prudence and views shown by HH the Amir and other sum-miteers are to be credited for the coostructive and fruitful nutcome of the GCC summit.

The Saudi leader emphasised need for Arab unity for the that GCC enuotries are pursuing stronger enhesinn, reginoal security and stahility, natinnal welfare and closer Arab and

Islamic cooperation.
Cnncluding, King Fabd expressed beartfelt wishes nf good bealth and bappiness to the Amir and welfare and prosperity tn the people of Kuwait.

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Message from Maldives

HH the Amir yesterday received a message from President of Maldives Ma'omoun Abdul Qayuom expressing his government's and people's deep concern on Israel's brutal actions against the Patestinians in the occupied territories.

The message offirmed his country's readiness to participate in all international efforts token to torce Israel to put on end to its suppressive palicy in the occupied territories and preserve Palestinlans' lives and properties.

The message comes in response to one sent by the Amir to the leaders of the Islamic countries in his capacity os head of the Islamic conference on the situation in the occupied territories.

Crown Prince audiences

HH the Crown Prince and Premier Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah yesterday received at his office Deputy Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry Abdul Aziz Hamad Al Sager: the Minister at State for Cabinet Affairs Rashed Abdul Aziz Al Rashed, the Minister of Housing Affairs and acting Minister to Municipal Affairs, Naser Abdullah Al Roudan in addition to Ahmadi Governor Sheikh All Sabah Al Salem.

Sheikh Sood also received a number of civilions at the public

Cable of thanks

HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, Sheikh Sood Al Abdullah, received a cable from the choirman of Kuwait Boxina Union dedicating to Sheikh Soud the golden medal won by Kuwoitl heavyweight boxer, Ali AL Boloushi.

The medal was won at the 13th Asian championship for amateur boxing held in Kuwait December 19 to 24, declaring Boloushi the Asian, Arab and Kuwalt champion.

The cable expressed thanks to Sheikh Saad for the fatherly care and constant encouragement to sports and athletes forming on Incentive for them to assume leading positions in different sports

Sheikh Saad sent a reply cable in which he expressed thanks for the good feelings and congratulations to the Kuwait Baxing Union for winning the medal, and wished them constant success in serving the country.

KUWAIT PRESS DIGEST

GCC summit outcome hailed

KUWAITI newspapers vesterday hailed the outcome of the 8th GCC summit, noting the essence of the final statement emanotes from

Editorially commenting an the Rivadh-hosted summit of the supreme council of the Gulf Cooperation Council. Al Anbao said the summit's final communique clearly reflected the will of the Gulf people and the for-sightedness of the GCC leaders.

The Gulf policy toward the B7-month-old Iraq-Iran war, os stated In the finol communique, was in total harmony with the Arab decision in this regard adapted last month in the Amman Arab emergency summit, the paper said.

Al Anbaa Indicated that notwithstanding the statement's smoothly-worded attitude toward the Gulf war, it did not toil to condemn the Iranian procrastination aimed at continuing and

expanding the wor. The summit, which came to on end an Tuesday, expressed full support to the Palestinion people's rights to statehood and self-

determination and highly commended the angoing uprising in the occupied Palestinian land. Al Rai Al Aam, meanwhile, said the seven-year-old GCC has

achieved "miracles" in comparison with the 50-year-old Arab League and even with the EEC which is still suffering from various shortcomings in different fields.

The paper said the Summit resolutions dld not cover only Gulf issues, but also expressed clear stands toward Arab and Islamic questions which implies that Gulf coordination has become the most important pillar of joint Arab action.

Celebrate the first day of the year with a Special Luncheon with your family and friends. Cheers to 1988 Saturday Adults: KD 5 000 Friday (NEW YEAR) Children: KD 2.500 Adults: KD 7.000 Children KD 3.500

Slaughter house to be modernised

SHEIKH Salem Mohammad Ai Sabah, the Director of Slaughterhouses at Kuwait Municipality, said the major changes would be made in the central slaughterhouse huilding to improve the existing situatino.

He said that the Municipality Affairs Committee had decided tn develop and modernise the central slaughterbouse huilding in line with international standards and in set up authorised units to take care of religious nfferings during appropriate

He said that the Minister of State for Municipal Affairs had defined the functions and tasks performed hy the Personnel Department and that these tasks included the inspection of recently butchered meat, imported poultry and meat and other animal products.

He said that work would soon begin on the Saheed and Failaka Slaughter houses.

Cancer is

DR Yousef Omar, the Director

of Kuwait's Cancer Society, said

that cancer is the third highest

cause of death in Kuwait and

that deaths resulting from road

accidents is the second bighest

Dr Omar, speaking at a

seminar about cancer disease at

Kuwait Medical Society, said

that there are about 36 cases of

cancer per 100,000 Kuwaiti

males and 35.5 cases of cancer

per 100,000 Kuwaiti females.

Among non-Kuwaitis there are

about 52 eases per 100,000

among males and 55 cases per 100,000 among females. He

added that statistics show that

lung cancer has increased over

the last teo years and liver and

colon cancer has increased in the

Dr Najim Abdul Wahed, the

Head of Kuwait Medical

Society's Scientific Committee,

said that smoking is the real enemy and encouraged

physicians to set an example for patients by not smoking. He added that the most common

kind of cancer among women is

THE Kuwaiti Civil Aviation has

decided to give between 30-40 per

cent discount to some inter-

national airways on landing fees

A responsible source in the

aviation higher council told

Kuna that the discount is offered

to the airlines which use Kuwait

International Airport but wbose

airports are not frequented by

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Lebanon's mufti calls for dialogue

LEBANON'S Musti Hassan Khaled was quoted yesterday as denouncing confessionalism and urging his warring countrymen to initiate dialogue between them to end Lebanoo's 12-year-nld civil war.

Khaled, in an interview published in a Kuwaiti newspaper stressed bowever that all Lebanese sects should and can live together in peace without prejudices and violence "because onne wishes to eliminate the existence of others."

Khaled put much of the blame of Lebagon's plight on local militias which he said were blocking a fair settlement that could reunite the country. If a political agreement contin-

ued to elude the Lehanese

Lebanon, according to its Muslim musti, will be left to face

either a constituum nal vacuum nr a sectarian president whn steers cruise the country to a "catastrophe."
He told the newspaper libera-

don of south Lebanon from the Israeli occupation could be won only through political and military pressure on the enemy. Citing fierce resistance to the

occupation forces in the south. the musti stressed that the Lebanese would never relingish their national rights. Khaled defended Palestinians'

noted it needed better organisation "to protect itself and protect Lebanon. This, be said, could be secured

armed presence in Lebanon hut

through an overall Arab strategy that would help Palestinians fight for their national cause with an integrated plan.

solidarity with the Palestinian uprising in the occupied territaries. The sit-in observed a two-hnur silence to commemorate those who have been killed in the uprising and afterwards patrintic songs were sung and slogans chanted.

hrutality and expressed their solidarity with the Palestinians. Al Dabbagh said that thousands of dinars had been received in donations and that

Britain welcomes summit outcome

LONDON, Dec 30, (Kuna): British officials today welcomed the positive outcome of the GCC summit in Riyadh, describing the

They pointed out that Britain bas always wished the Gulf Cooperation Council well and supported its objective in establisbing cohesion and political unity among the six GCC nations.

emphasised the importance of

The council's attempt to remind the world of the UN resolution 598 also coincided with the renewed international resolve demonstrated now to hring the Gulf conflict to a speedy and peaceful conclusion.

Meanwhile, Britain is expected to concentrate its efforts, after assuming the Security Council presidency at the beginning of January, on working oo a mandatory UN resolution, including an arms embargo

Delegation Sir Crispin Tickell, Britain's

British officials were now confidently optimistic that the Soviet Union would support enforcement measures including

However, a spokesman for the department could not specify today who will lead the GCC

delegation to the UK.

The six member states of the council ended yesterday a fourday summit by adopting a communique condemning Iranian attacks oo Gulf shipping and demanding the enforcement of

tion 598.

The officials especially

the resolutions adopted by the GCC and calling for an early end to the Iran-traq war.

they added.

against Iran

permanent representative at the UN, will contact his counterparts as soon as they return from the new year break.

the arms embargo against Iran. In a related move, the Foreign

Office expects tn receive information in the near future about a forthcoming visit to Britain by a GCC delegation as part of an effort designed to convince the five permanent members of the Security Council to implement a ceasefire in the Gulf.

secretary, Abdul Aziz Jaffar (right). **American musicians** on goodwill tour

A GROUP of American musicians on an "Indiana University Goodwill Tour" will give a oneday concert of opera music next

Kuwait's information Minister, Sheikh Nasser Al Ahmed, yesterday met the mufti of

Lebanon, Sheikh Hassan Khaled. The meeting was attended by the ministry's Under-

The group of 10 professors and post-graduate studeots bave been invited by the Ministry of Informatioo. They will present La Boheme hy Puccini, La Traviata hy Verdi, Pearl Fishers by Bizet, Tosca by Puccini, Rigoletto by Verdi and Daughter of the Regiment and Lucia Di Lammermoor by Donzetti.

The members of the group are Carlos Montaoe, Norman Phillips, Andrea Adkins, Victoria Atwater, Ruth Ann Vowen, Kelly Oskouie, David Itkin, Tod Kowallis, Gary Lebman and Richard Carsey.

They will tour Pakistan. Bahrain, UAE and other countries in Asia and the Gulf. The concert in Kuwait will be

CAIRO, Dec 30, (UPI): Arab

leaders of the war-torn Gulf have

decided to jointly produce weapons with Egypt and have pledged "more than \$1 billion"

toward the project, the semi-

official newspaper Al Gomhuria

Mohsin Mohammed, editor of

the state-contolled newspaper,

reported the six members of the

Gulf Cooperation Council

(GCC) agreed at the their eighth

summit, which ended Tuesday in

Saudi Arabia, to cooperate with

the Cairo-based Arab Industrial-

isation Organisation (AIO) in

"advanced weapons" produc-

said today.

of age are welcome. Modernisation of

The project began in December 1986 and is expected to be completed io two years. The source added that a tender bad also been offered to extend the telephone networks in the Salwa and Figtas areas.

Kuwait's Communications Mio-istry said that the ministry had completed the fourth stage of their modernisation project and had offered tenders for telephone networks in the Ardhiya, Ahu Halifa and Jileeb Al Shiyoukh

A RESPONSIBLE source at

Adults and children over 15 years

held on Mondny, Jan 4, at

7.30pm, in the auditorium of the Special Institutes, Cairo Street, Hawalli. Admission is free.

telephone network

Egypt's peace treaty with Israel.

Revive

Writing from Riyadh, where the four-day GCC summit was held, Mohammed said the decision to revive cooperation with the organisation was taken hy the GCC leaders. Their nations, close to the front line of the 7-year-old iraq-Iran war, are in "desperate need" of 'advanced arms." Mobammed said.

"The initial contribution of these (six GCC) states would be more than one billion dollars," he said.

warming ties between Egypt and most Arab states following the rupture with Cairo to protest the Egyptian-Israeli accord.

Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates resumed full ties with Egypt in November after the Arah League authorised Arab capitals to do so. Oman, the sixth GCC member state, never broke with Cairo.

Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Bahrain,

Egypt-GCC joint arms project The organisation was founded in 1975 by Egypt, Saudi Aabia, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates, but the nations froze their membership in the Cairo-The report comes amid rapidly based group in 1979 to protest



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Thought for today

ALWAYS remember that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any other one thing -Abraham Lincoln, US President (1809-1865).

Prospect of Mideast peace pushed back

By Howard Goller

TEL AVIV. (Reuter): December unrest in occupied Arah territories, during which Israeli troops have killed at least 22 Palesunian demonstrators, has polarised opinions on both sides and appears to have put back prospects for a Middle East peace settlement.

Israeli leaders and scholars said peace efforts were the hig-gest loser and neither side would draw lessons from 15 days of riots which spread from the occupied Gaza Strip and West Bank, captured in the 1967 Middle East war, to Arah towns inside the Jewish state itself.

Meron Benvenisti, an Israeli researcher who for many years has published an annual survey of West Bank statistics, said: "Of course there are lessons, hut what happens usually is that people draw the same conclusions they arrived at before."

Notions The unrest seemed only to bolster each side's preconceived

The main concerns of many Israelis were restoring order and mitigating the damage done to their international image by the killing of Palestinian demonstrators. Washington, Israel's closest ally, accused Israeli

troops of using excessive force.
Israel's immediate reaction was to arrest more than 1,000 Palestinians and put hundreds on trial while launching a campaign to counter newspaper and television images ahroad of sol-diers clashing with Palesunian demonstrators.

The question of finding a peaceful solution to the Arab-Israeli problem ranked third in priorities.

"We will not change our position, our attitude, under pressure from what has happened the last two weeks in the territories," Prime Minister Yitzbak Sbamir's spokesman, Yossi

Such a hard line might be expected from Shamir, whose rightist Likud hloc opposes trading captured land for peace with neighbouring Jordan — hut not from Foreign Minister Shimon Peres, the Labour Party leader.

Peres, like Arah leaders, favours an international framework 10 negotiate a Middle East peace settlement. But mindful of Israeli public opinion, both he and Labour Defence Minister Yitzhak Rahin avoided confronung Shamir over the unrest.

In separate interviews on US television, both said the unrest did not help peace efforts.

A recent poll in the Israeli newspaper Yedioth Ahronoth showed 69 per cent of Israelis wanted a tougher stance in the occupied areas, 23 per cent

backed existing policy and seven per cent supported a softer

Another survey sbowed Israelis as divided as their gover-nment over whether to exchange land for peace.

Warning

The "Peace Now" group, which drew 400,000 Israelis to a famous rally against Israel's invasion of Lebanon in 1982, demanded an end to the 20-year occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip. But it attracted only 4,000 demonstrators to two

Even Amran Mitzna, the Israeli Army's central commander, warned the military could not provide a complete and decisive solution to the political problems of the occupied areas.

But some Israelis say that not only their own people failed to draw lessons from the unrest.

"I think the same is true on the other side," Benvenist, a former deputy mayor of Jerusalem, said.
"There is a euphoric feeling

among Palestinians. This will go down in history as a rebellion, and it will become a myth. And this myth is not going to help them conceive new and positive policies," he said.

Yasser Arafat, leader of the Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO), described the unrest as "an uprising" and restated his commitment to a settlement to be negotiated at a United Nationssponsored peace conference.

In occupied Jerusalem, Palestinian publications and spokesmen said the lessons were primarily for Israelis to draw. Struggling

"I think any Israeli should awaken from his dream nowadays and realise that there are two peoples in Palestine the Palestinian people and the Jewisb people, said Mahdi Abdul-Hadi, president of the Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs (Passia).

The uprising began on Dec after four Gazans were killed when an Israeli Army truck collided with their vehicles. The Army denied widespread rumours that the truck driver staged the crash to avenge the death of an Israeli who had been knifed in Gaza.

Both sides believe they are struggling for survival.

Nearly 40 years after the creation of Israel, Shamir was still telling a nationwide television audience: "We want to fight for our lives.

Most alarming for many Israelis was a "peace day" strike observed by the 560,000 Arah citizens of Israel in sympathy with the 1.5 million Arabs of the West Bank and Gaza Strip. Violence erupted in Jaffna, a mixed Arab-Jewish area next to

By Terence Hunt

final months in office.

of her mother.

recovery.

WASHINGTON, (AP): From

the lows of the Iran-Contra affair

to the highs of the superpower

summit, President Ronald

Reagan turns the page on the toughest year of his presidency

and prepares to count down his

Reagan's seventh year in the White House was filled with

defeats and disappointments, as

well as the pain of watching his

wife, Nancy, undergo surgery for removal of her cancerous left

hreast, and then grieve the death

The President had his own

medical problems. In January, he

underwent surgery for an enlar-

ged prostate, and also had four

benign polyps removed from his

colon. In July, doctors removed a patch of skin cancer from his

Outwardly. Reagan seemed

upbeat and optimistic. White

House chief of staff Howard

Baker said the President was

huoyed, by a new arms treaty with

the Soviet Union and his wife's

Delusion

However, Mrs Reagan said:

'It's not been a great year. It's

been the lowest I think you can

With the upcoming presiden-

tial election campaign, Reagan's

achievements in 1988 probably

will be limited. "In terms of his

capacity to do anything, I think

it's pretty much washed out,

said James David Barber, a

presidential scholar and political

He said the past year "has

clearly been a delusion and a

debacle" with revelations that

the President was not a decisive

leader and was detached from

key areas of policy-making.

scientist at Duke University.

essentially "a happy man."

Potential sources of nuclear proliferation

By Peter N. Spotts

BOSTON: When Brazil or India announces that it has launched space or almospheric experiments using home-grown rockets, it's often seen as a sign of

progress.
But others look at those same rockets and quickly point out that a vehicle that can launch a 1,000-pound satellite can also send conventional, chemical or nuclear weapons hurtling toward a longstanding enemy.

As a national-security concern, 'ballistic missile proliferation is right up there with nuclear proliferation. The two are hecoming interlinked." says Andrew Goldberg, a national-security studies fellow at the Georgetown Centre for Strategic and International Studies. "Ballistic missile proliferation will be one of the key areas of technical tension in the 1990s.*

Not surprisingly, the initial nuts and bolts of missile technology, as well as the know-how to implement it. have come largely from the US and the Soviet Union, according to the Congressional Research Service (CRS), which has produced two reports in the last 20 months on the topic.

Both superpowers have sold short-range military missiles to some of their client states, especially in the Middle East. according to the CRS. The missiles have ranges from about 100 10 500 miles, depending on the type, and varying degrees of

accuracy, depending on what guidance system, if any, is used.

Besides acquiring missiles designed specifically as surface-10-surface weapons, tech-nologically advanced countries can modify other types of mis-siles for that use. For example, the CRS notes that South Korea modified US Nike Hercules anuaircraft missiles for use against ground targets, then used that experience to develop its own surface-to-surface weapon with a range of between 300 and 400

Modified

But the sale of military missile systems to countries not considered major military powers makes uponly part of the picture. Concern is also growing over the ability of countries such as India. Brazil. Argentina, and Israel to lift rockets they've huilt themselves. Many of the countries involved are also states believed to be standing on the 1 hreshold of building nuclear weapons.

In Israel's case, the missile in question, the Jericho II, was designed specifically for military use. Unofficial reports give the missile a tested range of 600 miles and a potential reach of 900 miles. This would bring under its shadow some Soviet oil fields and naval bases as well as all Arah capitals.

Iraq recently claimed to have tested its own surface-to-surface missile with a range of 400 miles. which would hring Israel well

within range. (The Christian Science Monitor)

Irregularities at the Indian School

SIR: I would like to thank you, on behalf of all expatriates, for exposing innumerable malpractices - such as unscrupulous recruiting agents who are exploiting Asians.

The primary joh of these socalled agents is to trap innocent men and women by making false promises. Stealthily, they are robbed of everything. Even teachers and principals have become the victims of such recruiting agencies. Two agents conduct their husiness under the banner of a private school
— the head of the institution
has become the cat's paw. Such social parasites must be exposed to the public.

We thank you for the hold report an Appukuttan's dilemma in your newspaper. If that report had not been published, Appukuttan would have been packed off to India.

A number of irregularities has been committed by the Indian School board. Befure taking a decision they should analyse their activities. Is there

anyone who does not indulge in money-making? Why are the director's sitting tight in their chairs? Why are teachers vic-

At the start, the Indian School was conceived as a com-munity institution. Indians begged and borrowed to set up the school. Now the school has become a feudal property. Outgoing board memhers name their successors, who are invariably suns, sons-in-law or other relatives. A board member is well-

known for his hureaucratic past in India. This man works hard - yet the school is in the red and has a deficit. Why? The benevolent sponsor of the school does not take any profit? Where does the income

Why doesn't the school have its own huilding? Men who worked for this institution have been conveniently

ohliterated. The present management indicts teachers, accusing them

"THE DEFICIT?...THE BUDGET?...THE SUPREME COURT?... DO

Reagan turns the page

With Congress firmly in the

hands of opposition Democrats.

Reagan's political clout and

prestige were severely undercut

hy the Iran-Contra affair. A

majority of Americans thought

the President was lying about the

episode, according to polls, and

Congress no longer seemed

The Reagan magic seemed to have vanished. Unlike earlier

vears, when he took his case to

the people in 1987 and asked them to lohhy Congress, there

On two major issues where he

waged a voto fight — a costly

highway bill and a water cleanup

measure — Congress overturned

seemed upbeat and

optimistic. He was

buoyed by a new arms

treaty with the Soviet

Union and his wife's

His catt for an "economic bitl

of rights" with a consultational

amendment for a balanced hud-

Failure

Twice Reagan failed to get his

nominee on the Supreme Court:

first Robert Bork after a

politically charged fight and then

Douglas Ginshurg after an

embarrassing revelation he had

His third nominee for the seat,

Longtime aide Michael

Deaver was convicted of lying to

a congressional subcommittee

and a federal grand jury. Attor-

ney General Edwin Meese.

another longtime associate, was

Anthony Kennedy, appears lik-

Reagan

WHATEVER YOU THINK IS RIGHT."

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of being ennui. What about motivating them by giving increments?

I suggest that the sebool hoard be placed under the Indian ambassador, rather than retain it as a feudal property of some members.

I bope this will be done for the benefit of thousands of Indians in Kuwait.

> A parent (Name and Address supplied)

Reduction in mail

SIR: This refers to a recent news report? about reduced work load at the post office department due to the introduction of the computerised automatic sorting system.

There has been reduction in mail mainly hecause many expatriates have stopped posting letters in Kuwait. Many Pakistanis, Indians, Bangladeshis, Sri Lankans and Filipinos send their mail with friends who go home on holidays. Mail from overseas is also brought hy incoming passengers. This is one reason why the work load has reduced at the Post Offices' sorting offices.

Regrettably, many private and public companies are not

under investigation by two grand

juries. And longtime friend Lyn

Nofziger faces trial on charges of

The White House staff has

been revamped in the past year because of the Iran-Contra mess.

Though no one held him per-

sonally responsible, the stock

market collapsed 508 points on

Oct 19. It was a particular blow for a president who prided him-

self on holstering free enterprise

and forced him to drop his once-

rigid opposition to tax increases.

ted that the husiness recovery

from the 1981-82 recession had

been the longest in post-war his-

tory — 60 months.

The Iran-Contra affair came

to a head Nov 18 when the House

and Senate investigatory com-

mittees issued their report on the

matter. The congressional report

said Reagan set a tone of leader-

ship that led aides to believe they

The report said this atmos-

phere spawned a "cahal of

zealots" in the White House who

displayed a "disdain for the

The one big plus of the year

was the summit, a three-day

extravaganza of meetings with

Soviet leader Mikhail Gorha-chev that riveted world ntten-

It produced the signing of a

treaty, to eliminate intermediate-

range nuclear missiles, and held

out the hope of achieving

another agreement, to cut long-

range strategic weapons by

Reagan is supposed to visit

Moscow for another summit

before June, and a treaty - or

the outline of one - might be

ready for signing then. Even

without an arms agreement, both

sides are planning for another

about 50 per cent,

could skirt the law,

However, the President boas-

violating federal ethics laws.

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The postal code and area must be written in the second line; and in the last line the pin code, area and country. People should write accurate address to avoid delays.

Simply disappointing

picked it up.

Most foreigners rely on

speaking viewers.

Magbool Butt,

SIR: Regrettably, KTV2 did not report the death of Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M.G Ramachandran on Thursday, Dec 24. MGR was a statesman and a politician and regarded highly by most Indians, who were disappointed when KTV neglected this particular news

However, we were very surprised when MGR's death was reported on the 10 o'clock News on KTV1. If the news was worth showing on an Arabic channel, why wasn't it worth including in the English hroadcast? I don't understand how the English channel missed the news item when the Arabic one KTV2 news broadcasts to get news about world events, particularly from their bome country. KTV 2 always disappoints the foreigners. It is a pity they don't cater to the English-

Y.G. Sesha Reddy, Salat.

MGR's death a great loss

SIR: I was sbocked to learn about Tamil Nadu Chief Mini-ster M.G. Ramachandran's death, which ends a glorious era of Tamil Nadu. MGR was "makkal thilakam" (the darling of masses). He was deeply sympathetic of the problems of the poor; protected and respected women and opposed law-

breakers.
MGR, like his predecessor Annadurai, was a prominent social worker and was responsihle for the prosperity of Tamil Nadu. Thousands of Tamils worshipped him like a deity.

He was so widely admired and respected that people for-gave his mistakes. Millions in India must be mourning the sad demise of the film star-turnedpolitician. India has lost a great



Enough

SIR: We would like to ask the KTV2 to bring back "Open all Hours" starring Ronnie Barker. I used to look forward to this programme all week and now it has been replaced by yet another wildlife film. I'm ready to take a degree in zoology after watching KTV2! Come on KTV2. Enough is enough.

ALL letters to the Editor in contain the writer's name and address. Publication is at the discretion of the Editor and letters are subject to the edit process for space or

T. Philip Safat.

The majority of children do not have access to milk any more. There are children who are getting one meal a day, of bread sprinkled with thyme.

Lebanese face bitter fight for survival

By Jim Muir

BEIRUT; Lehanese, who have lived through the bombs and hullets that have claimed scores of thousands of lives, now face a bitter fight for survival against a crushing economic collapse.

The drastic decline of the national currency, skyrockeung inflation, and a breakdown of many public services make meeting life's basic needs a major preoccupation for almost all

"The majority of Lehanese children do not have access to milk any more, and the quality of the food they are getting has dropped badly," says Marwan Sidani, acting director of the Lebanon programme, for the British branch of Save the Chil-, dren Fund. "We know of 100,000" families, with some 200,000 to 300,000 children under six, in. dire need of help. They have bad

to cut such staples as oil, grains. sugar, and mulk, and they live off hread, which is subsidised. Even that takes up 70 per cent of their income. "It is not starvation yet, but it

is threatening. I can show you children who are getting only one meal a day, of bread sprinkled with thyme," Sidani says.

Destroyed The main pillars of the oncebooming Lebanese economy notably tourism, hanking, and services - were either destroyed

or badly damaged hy successive

rounds of civil strife since 1975. After holding firm against the United States dollar for the first 10 years of crisis, the Lebanese pound first showed signs of weakening in the summer of 1985. Economists and bankers warned that a major economic crisis was inevitable unless a political scttlement brought stahili1y.

But there has been no political solution. The economic crunch has arrived with a vengeance. "It represents the cumulative result of all the years of destruction, the progressive erosion of the country's social and economic fahric, and general despair over the prospects for a political settlement," says economic consul-tant Riad Khouri.

After a steady decline since last year, the Lehanese pound L (str) nosedived in recent months to its current level of around 500 to the dollar, with no floor in sight. Since most of the country's consumer goods and footstuffs are imported, prices have soared, often doubling or tripling in the space of weeks or even days.

One recent report assessed the current annual rate of inflation at 678 per cent.

Expectations

For many workers taking home the minimum monthly wage, the L (str) 8.600 they earn is now worth a paltry \$17. That is not enough to buy two small sandwiches a day.

"If I buy one tin of powdered milk and one packet of disposahle diapers — not enough for a month — I have already spent more than the minimum wage. says Lillian Dagher, a mother of

While the wealthy elite were able to switch their capital into dollars or other hard currency early on, people whose income is fixed in Lebanese nounds - the vast majority of hlue - and white-collar workers and public officials - have found themselves reduced to subsistance

Bankers say there is a great deal of private wealth that would

re-enter the economy as soon as

political settlement was reached.

and few economists doubt that there would be something of a boom. But the chances of a settlement being reached between estranged Christian and Muslim leaders appear as remote as ever. The general prediction is that the country faces its longest and darkest winter yet.

Prices of everything from clothes to cement — all hut the most basic commodities — are now set in dollars and translated into Lehanese pounds at the prevailing daily rate. For those with incomes in the local currency, this bas carried prices into the realm of fantasy. It is like an American waking

inp to find that a soft drink costs S100; a pair of shoes \$5,000. The price of a restamant meat for four would have bought a limousine a few years ago.

"Life became totally impossi-e," says Abdulla Qasim, one of many hreadwinners who, having. stuck it out through all the upbeavals, are now forced to seek work abroad and send cash home to their families. "My last joh working for a Muslim charity was paying L (str) 9,000 a month - about \$18. With three teenage

begin to live on that?" Lifeline

children in school, how could we

Hard-currency remittances from relatives abroad have become a lifeline for thousands of Lebanese families. A few hundred dollars sent from outside may have to spread across an increasingly large family network, as needy relatives turn to kin for belp.

Community-hased charities among both Muslims and Christians have taken on an increasingly important role in helping those most in need. Outside aid organisations are working hard to keep starvation at bay, too. The Lehanese state system. paralysed, fragmented, and almost hankrupt is unable to

help.
Signs of the hard times are
Hamra Street. Beirut's equivalent of Fifth Avenue in prosperous pre-war days. Every morning, the sidewalks are jammed with people buying and selling dollars. Everyhody changes their

salaries into dollars at the beginning of the month, and their fortunes rise and fall with the dollar," says a Beirut bartender. A half-dozen local radio stations give hourly updates of exchange

On a side street, a Sunday morning flea market has sprung ip. offering a hizarre and depressing. assortment of used and stolen articles, ranging from a grandfather clock down to small pieces: of old electrical wire and hose pipe and other worthless items. some of them scavenged off street-corner garbage heaps....

"The people who go through the garbage are not finding much nowadays," says, one West Beirut resident, "Very little that might be worth anything at all is being thrown away now and what there is gets picked out straight away a sellowed.

In addition to the economic squeeze, the difficulties of life in frequent shortages of basic commodities and essential services.

Lengthy and unpredictable power hlackonts occur aimost every day. Making a few local phone calls can be a frustrating day's work, and calls between. East and West Beirut are vir-

tually impossible. "We Lebanese are worrying. all day long about gasoline, about bread, about electricity, about medicines - we don't have time to think about any thing else," says Muhammad

Ahboud, a carpenter. Because gasoline, bread, and bottled gas for cooking are subsidised, supplies disappear onto the hlack market or are smuggled abroad Members of the warring sectarian militias are widely accused of leading the racketeer-

Only after the government recently raised the official price of gasoline to L (str) 111,400 for 20 litres (it was L (str) 1,117 a few years ago) did supplies begin to reappear at gas stations ... albeit with a militia percentage tacked on. The militia mafiosi, some merchants, and people on dollar salaries survived and even prosp-

The government has been subsidising the militias, and is being bankrupted hy them," says one militiz official.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1494 — Forces of France's King Charles VIII enter Rome. 1810 - Russia's Tsar Alexander introduces new tariffs aimed at French goods.

1851 — Austrian constitution is abolished. 1879 — US inventor Thomas A. Edison gives first demonstration of his electric incandescent light at Menlo Park, New

1919 - Britain, Japan and United States sign agreement on East Siberia. 1946 - End of World War II is proclaimed officially by US President Harry S. Truman.

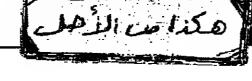
1956 - President Sukarno proclaims state of siege in Sumatra. Indonesia. 1961 - Lebanon's Army prevents coup attempt in Benut by

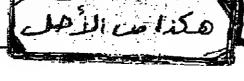
Syrian Popular Party. 1963 - Central African federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland 1964 - Indonesia's President Sukarno threatens to unit United Nations if Malaysia is given seat on Security Council.

1966 - United States says it will halt bombing of North

Vietnam when Hanoi assures that it will discuss peace terms. 1968 - UN Security Council censures Israel unanimously for helicopter commando raid on airport at Beirut, Lebanon ... 1973 - Cuba's Premier Fidel Castro tells troops that Cubastill faces danger of military aggression from United States

1986 — Europe reacts angrily to US announcement of steep tariffs on European goods.





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Vlenna Boys Choir VIENNA Boys Choir will give one performance at 8.00 pm on Jan 5 (Tuesday) in the Grand Bullroom at Kuwait Hilton Hotel. They will play a 40 minute piece by Johann Straus -Tales from the Vienna Woods. They will also present excerpts from compositions by Franz Schubert, Peter Eben, Henry Purcell der Viadana and Benjamin Britten.

ASK Alumni Dinner Friends and graduates of the American School, Kuwait, will hold an alumni dinner at Regency Palace Hotel on Jan 3. The Arabic buffet will begin at 8 pm. For details phone Mrs Suzy Jones -- 5314568. Tareq Rajab Museum

The museum has been closed for renovation. It reopensat the end of January and will display manuscripts, ceramics and textiles.

German-Speaking **Cultural Association**

The next meeting for German speaking women will be held in the New Year - on Sunday, Jan 3, 10 am, at the Kuwait Hiltoo Hotel. All German speakers are welcome. Concert *

Americao vocalists will give a concert on Jan 4 at 7.30 pm in the auditorium of the Special Private Institute (Cairo St., Hawalli).

HOTELS

Al tha Ramada Al Salam Special children's brunch

parties will be held every Friday, beginning this week, in El Bendar, Lots of fun and games will be provided from 12 noon to 3 pm. At the Hilton

Ring in the New Year in style at the Failaka Restaurant, featuring dinner on Thursday night: dine to music by the Magnetic Band, Failaka Restaurant will be open on New Year's Day for luoch and din-

La Palma, open from 6.30 am till midnight, features a special lunch and dinner buffet on Thursday, Friday and

Saturday.

Al tha Holiday inn

Pastries, stollens and logs for the festive season and New Year are available at the Lobby "Lounge." Lunch "featuring seasonal food will be offered at the Coffee Shop, Af Dana and Al Andalus, Fordetails contact. Al Andalus: For details contact the botel. At the Sheraton Al Hambra features a special

buffet dinner on Thursday night and a special lunch buffet on Friday, New Year's Day. Hunt Room offers special dioner buffet on Thursday night; music by the Paraside Trio. Riccardo features an a la carte meou and Le Tarbouche will feature special lunch and dinner buffets on Thursday and Friday. At the Meridien

Special lunch and dinner meou will be offered this week at all the outlets - Versailles, La Brasserie and at Remy and Tony's Jam session enjoy toetapping music on Thursday. Family fun on Friday in La Brasserie features a special menu, video cartoons, water games magician and other attractions for all the family.

At Messilah Beach Special New Year's Eve Dinner and New Year Lunch in Al Mubarakiah; buffet featuring scasonal food.

Children's parties will be held every Friday io Al Jawharah in cooperation with Kids 'r' Us from 4 to 7 pm. Joio the fun with the band, clown, games. Many prizes to be woo, plus a gift for every child.

At the SAS Festive items are available at the gourmet shop.

SPORTS

2.45 pm.

Kuwait Nomads - : Rugby Club Eogland vs Scotland at Fintas Park on Friday. Kickoff: 3

Events welcomes items

pm. All players must report by

for its What'a On column. They can be telexed or phoned to 4813566, Ext 285 between 1000 and 1800 hours daily, except Thursdays. Pictures will also be considered for publication. The sooner the item is submitted, the better its chance for publication.

Fajr	5.15 an
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Asr	2.38 po
Maghreb	4.58
Isha	6.28
Friday Fair	5.17 an

Friday prayer 11.50 2.41 am 5.00

Eating in casual surroundings

THE Maharaja is one of the older established restaurants in Kuwait, situated on the first floor of the Phonecia Hotel on the corner of Fahd Al Salem Street which leads towards the KAC building. The decor is quite basic with wood-pannelled walls, simple furniture, crisp, clean table-linen, a few neglected pot plants and some batik paintings. Indiao restaurants tend to be dimly lit and at the Maharaja blue lightbulbs cast a rather ghoulish ultra-violet baze over the gloom. Cheerful pop music plays gently in the background while an antique T.V. set flickers in the corner. The Maharaja is a quiet place to enjoy an unhurried meal in casual surroundings.

The menu, which is clearly laid out in Arabic and English is a delight to read with its detailed and tempting descriptions of each disb. Although three out of the six appetisers listed were in fact not available. there was a wide choice of tandoori-baked food, chicken, mutton and scafood curries from different regions of India as well as birianis, vegetable preparations and breads. There. is no beef on the menu. Prices

Service courteous and unobtrusive

CINEMA

Al Andalos Rage of Honour Starriog: Jerry Gabon

Al Salmiya Little Shop of Horrors Starring: Bill Murray, Ellen Green

La'anat Al Maal (Arabic) Starring: Hatem Zulfiqar, Imaan, Yusuf Shabaao Drive-In

Wa Yabqa Al Hub (Arabic) Starring: Farid Sbawki, Suhair Ramzi, Fuad Bakshi Aziz Al Firdons

Starring: Amitabh Bachchan, Rajesb Kbanna Fahabeel Open-Air

Anand (Hindi)

Mamta (Hindi) Starring: Sucbitra Sen



the main dishes which are suf-

After urdering, we had to wait about thirty minutes for nch in dessigated enconut, tomato, coriander and gardamon. The fish itself had a melting texture. Although we ordered the

delicious-sounding Chicken Maharaja Special ("Oven baked chicken simmered in Himalayan Spices, cream, butter and fresh tomatoes), I rather suspect that the dish we were served was the Chicken Zaffram. Whatever its name, tender strips of chicken had been enoked in a creamy yellow sauce, which provided a soothing contrast to the more fiery fish dishes. The Prawn Tandoori was too salty and heavily spiced with cumin for my taste.

Food is overpriced

Attractively presented on a bed of lettuce, onions and lemon wedges, the six large Gulf prawns were overpriced at KD3.250. The vegetable dish we ordered was Chana Pindi a very tasty preparation of chickpeas cooked in spices and fresh coriaoder. The Kashmiri Pilau was misleadingly described on the menu as "cooked with dried fruits and garnished with pineapple slices." In fact it was an insipid concoction of plaio rice with only a few pieces of tinned fruit salad added to it. Of the three desserts men-

NIGHT CHEMIST

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tioned on the menu, two (Kul-fee and Shahi Tukra) were unavailable, so the mixed special ice-cream was our only option. Although we would have preferred an Indian dessert, the mixture of mango, chocolaic and strawberry icecream with nuts and fruit made a refreshing finale to the meal.

Qulet place to enjoy unhurried meal

The bill came to KD13.053, which we felt was overpriced. A 15 per cent service charge is added to the listed menu prices. Il the Maharaja wants to attract more guests (there was only one other table occupied the whole evening we were there), it should do well to make its prices more competitive. The waiter willingly parcelled up our left-overs to take home. The Maharaja aiso offers a take-away service. RESTAURANT:

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SERVICE: ***
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RADIO PROGRAMMES

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09 Reflections 15 First Recordings of

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Musician of the Orient O Nile) exclusively for the

BBC, and we retain that exclusivity." In this latest interview, recor-

cribed the BBC as "a giant: the honest and truthful radio station which reaches every corner of the Arab World."

Additional material for this special 50th Anniversary edition of "Profile of a Singer" has been written by art historian Hassan Imam Omar, former editor of several art magazines in Egypi. The programme,

uary 2, at 1630 (GMT) in the Middle East on 9.825, 7.14 and

(427 and 469 metres medium wave). The composer of the signature tune for "Profile of a Singer," the late Farid Al Atrache, will be featured in the series on January 16. The title of the piece, which is played on the

lute, is "London Inspiration" Mr Al Atrache also presented the BBC with an exclusive song. "Nidaa Al-Ula" (The Call of

TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

KTV 1

- 9.00 Holy Quran 9.15 Cartoons
- 10.00 English film for chil-
- l 1.30 Al Islam Wal Insaan:
- tan, Aba Bakr Ezzat
- and Laila Fawzi.
- Satellite
- roundup of local events
- 5.30 Songs and Music
- 6.00 Alwan: presented by Rasha Magdi
- 7.00 News Summary 7.05 Show Jumping
- 7.30 Rahlat Fi Alam Majnoun: Arabic serial Issad
- Hussein Sharbioi 8,30 With Islam: hosted by Dr. Khalid Al Madhkour
- 9.00 News in Arabic 10.00 From People's Art 10.05 Ah! Ya Balad Ah! Arabic feature film starring Farid Tahiya Shawki, Karioka, Hussein Fahmi. Laila Alwi,
- opposition and faces many problems. 12.00 Late Night Variety Show: hosted by
- Aminah Al Sharrah
- Satellite 2.15 Holy Quran/Close down

FRIDAY 9.00 Holy Quran

- 9.30 Cartoons 10.00 News Summary
- Satellite
- 10.20 Children's Magazine 11.00 Ahaditb Mauduwa: religious talk by



11.15 Friday Prayer 12.15 Min Wahi Al Ayaat Al Bayanat; religious

serial 1.00 News Summary

1.20 World News via Satellite 2.15 Preview of oext

week's programme on KTV 3.15 Football: Kuwait vs Qatar; qualifier for Olympic Games. Live transmission

from Sabah Al Salem

Stadium. 5.15 INTERVAL

6.15 Kuwait io a Week

7.00 News Summary 7.10 Kul al Funcon; hos-

ted by Rasha Magdi
7.45 A Seminar on
Kuwait: Part One.

Prepared by Education Ministry.

9.00 News in Arabic 10.00 Wrestling 10.45 Hilm Alal Hamish:.. Arabic play featuring Sana Abdul Rah-

Hussein,

Raheem,

man, Mohammad

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12.30 World News via Satellite 1.10 Holy Quran/Close dowo KTV2

- 6.30 The Electric Com-
- cess who is never happy.
- 8.40 Max Headroom: "War". Network 23 is used by a gang to blackmail people
- show featuring latest
- sbown on New Year's Eve. 10.30 Late Night Movie:
- Lee. 12.00 News Summary/Ma-

- 2.00 Holy Qurao
- sporting events; football and other matches.
- 7.30 Spitting Image 8.00 News in English
- Ravves
- about a lawyer who fights crime to help people.
- local programme 10.00 What A Country. Comedy, based oo
- actioo film. 11.30 News Summary/Ma-

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gazine D'Actualite/ Closedown



Musician and composer, Mohammad Abdel Wahab, (right) pictured with Fathi El Bassuni, tha BBC Arabic Service's production manager in Calro.

Bruce Lea stara in Thursday'a late night movie, Murder at Music City, 10.30 pm on KTV 2. Kamal, Jalal Kamel. Sheikb Salah Abu 12.25 News Summary lsmael

- 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Voltron: cartoons
- 7.00 Fairy Tale Theatre: The story of a prin-
- 8.00 News in English
- 9.30 A special variety pop music will be
- "Murder in Music City." Starring: Sunny Bono, Bruce
- gazine D'Actualite/ Closedown
- FRIDAY
- 2.10 Cartoons 2.30 Sports Studio: local
- 6.00 She Ra: cartooos 6.30 Airwolf
- 8.40 Breaking Away: a local programme, hosted by Basma Al
- 8.50 Mailock: "Dairy of a Perfect Man". Starring: Andy Grant, Linda Errol. A series
- 9.30 Weekend: 30-minute
- British series Mind Your Language. 10.30 Killer in the Mirror:

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FM Services

- 08.00-08.30 Easy Listening 08.30-08.40 News 08.40-10.00 Easy Listening 10.00-11.00 Songs and Music 11.00-12.00 Country Western 12.00-13.00 Songs and Music 13.00-13.30 Easy Listening 13.30-13.40 News 13.40-14.00 Easy Listening
- 13.40-14.00 Class Listening
 14.00-16.00 Alam Al-NaghamClassIcal Music
 16.00-17.00 Easy Listening
 17.00-18.00 Arabic Songs and
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 18.00-19.00 Party Music
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 08.02 Songs and Music
 08.05 The Spirit of Islam
 08.20 Songs and Music
 08.30 News
 08.40 Songs and Music
 08.45 Daily Programme
 09.00 Pop International
 09.30 Your Kind of Music
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Quran 22.15 Sounds of the Eighties 22.45 Daily Programme 23.00 The Way You Like II 24.00 Closedown Friday

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expensive at KD3.250. Courteous

the food to arrive, so the Mahuraja is not the place to go if you are looking for a quick snack. The service was courteous and unobtrusive and the waiter enquired how heavily spiced we wanted the food When the meat at last arrived we did feel it had been worth the wait. The Goan fish curry was

quite a hot dish with a sauce Al-Fahaheel Madhu Maloti (Bengali)

Be'er Khuy.ma (Arabic)

Sulaibikbat Poothapol Neelakurunji (Malayalam) Al Jleeb

Wa Yabqa Al Hub (Arabic)

Anjaum (Hindi)

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Starring: Favid Chawki, Suhair Ramzi, Fuad Hussein Friday Al Jahra Ruthless People Granada Kora Kagaz (Hindi)

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A Letter from England

THE man who has been called

"The Singer of Kings and Prin-

cess" and "The Musician of the

Orient," Mohammad Abdel

Wahab, is the guest of the BBC

Arabic service at the start of its

50th unniversary year in a special edition of "Profile of a

Singer" on Suurday, January

"Mr Abdel Wahab is univer-

saily held to be the greatest

Arab singer and composer

since the 1930s." says Hani

Larabi, Senior Producer.

Music and Drama. "He has

always been a friend of the

Arabic Service and has visited

us several times. In 1943 he

recorded one of his master-

pieces "Igri Ya Nil" (Run Run

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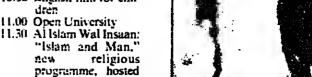
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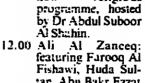
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ded in Cairo by the BBC's Production Manager Fathi El Bassuni, Abdel Wahab despresented by Nagua Al Tami, can be heard on Saturday, Jan-6.00 MHz in the 31, 41 and 49 metre bands, 702 and 639 kHz





1.00 News Summary 1.20 World News via 2.00 Liqa Al Khamis:

4.00 Hakim Al Aqzam: cartoons 4.30 News Summary 4.40 Cultural film

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Anwar Ismael, After his mother's death. the hero goes to a village to sell his ancestral property and encounters

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Puppets poke fun at nearly everybody in Spitting Image, Friday, at 7.30 pm on KTV 2.

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Biggest, best, most of 1987



NEW YORK, (AP): Here were some of the superlatives of 1987:

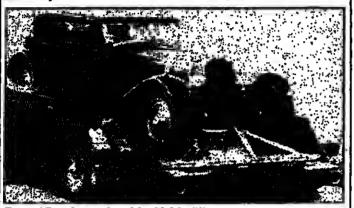
Most expensive painting
"Irises" by Vincent Van
Gogh — sold at auction for
\$53.9 million in New York.

Most expensive car
1931 Bugatti Royale — auctioned for \$9.86 million in London

don.
Richest person
Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah, 41, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei. \$25 hillion, according to Forbes magazine.

Top-grossing US film
"Beverly Hills Cop II" grossed \$153 million as of Dec

Best-paid entertainer Bill Cosby of the United States, \$84 million estimated for 1986-87, according to For-



Bugatti Royale: auctioned for \$9.86 million

1987's achievers

LONDON, (AP): The achievers of 1987 include these wbo earned a place in the Guinness book of records:

 March 20 — Towser, a tortoise-shell cat living at the Glenturret distillery near Crieff, Scotland, died one month short of her 24th birthday, bolding the world mousing record of

 May 17 — A 660-pound (229 kg) Spanish ornelette was cooked by Antonio Rivera Casal at Caracacia, Spain-He used-5,000 eggs, 1,100 pounds (499 kg) of potatoes and 33 galloris

 May 27 — Salevaa Fuali Atisanoe of Hawaii, Alias Konishiki, weighed in at 527 pounds (239 kg) to become the world's heaviest sumo wrestler.

 June 25 — A cucumber grown by Eileen Chappell of Bowen Hills, Australia, weighed in at a record 52 pounds, 14-3/4

● July 4 — Rick Krause spat 66 feet, 6 Inches (20.27 metres) at ehampionship at Eau Claire, Michigan.

• July 12 — A hula-hooper identified only as Miss Desai of the

Kehalovi troup of Bulgaria gyrated 75 boops simultaneously at Great Yarmouth, England.

July 15 — Bruce Bloch balanced 134 cigar boxes on his chin

for 15 seconds at the Hilton Hotel in Akron, Ohio. July 30 --- John Espinoza in San Antonio, Texas, ate 29

Julapeno peppers in two minutes fint (no coolants nllowed).

• July 31 -- Robert Wooley of San Antonio, Texas, made n gum wrapper chain 3,731 feet, three inches (1,137.2 metres) long, using 93,000 wrappers.

Aug 3 — A conga of 10,442 dancers was recorded at the

Edmonton Heritage Festival in Alberta. Aug 4 — David Green, a Welsh lawyer, published his 116th

letter in the Times of London.

Scientific advances

HERE were some of 1987's key scientifie advances: Superconductivity

Advances that could ultimately revolutionise electric power use emerged from a worldwide race to develop high-temperature superconductors that carry electricity without loss.

Astronomers learned much about the composition of stars from the discovery of a huge exploding star closer to earth than any supernova observed since the time of Johannes Kepler, almost four centuries ngo.

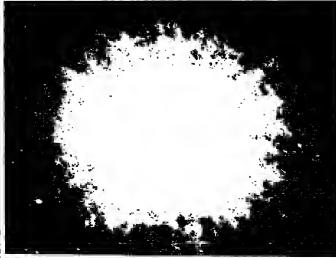
The US food and drug administration approved a genetically engineered clot-dissolving drug that may save the lives of thousands of heart attack vietims each year. Cholesterol

Drugs were found effective at lowering eholesterol levels. Parkinson's disease

Mexican doctors transplanted adrenal gland cells into the hrain of Parkinson's disease victims, producing some signs of Genetics

Researchers made progress in understanding the geneue defects related to manic-depressive illness, Alzheimer's disease and Down's syndrome.

A fossil discovery in Tanzania's Olduvai gorge showed that a human ancestor still had long, ape-like arms as recently as 1.8 million years ago.



Supernova was noticed by astronomers on Feb 23, 1987.



Accord: Soviet leader Mikhall Gorbachev and President Ronald Reagan share a joke at the start of their three-day summit in Washington this month.

On strategie arms, there was modest hut steady progress towards the goal that Nato and the Warsaw Pact have already

approved —a halving of super-power arsenals.

The two sides announced

agreement on one key figure for

missile warhead ceilings, and

appeared to temporarily shelve

their differences on the con-troversial US "Star Wars"

programme for anti-missile

It remained unclear whether

they could complete a strategic

arms pact in time for a fourth

defences.



Crash: a floor broker bows his head as the Dow Jones plunged on Oct 19, 1987. Wall Street stocks fell 22.6 per cent followed by crashes in other world money markets.

Natural and man-made disasters, air and sea accidents, political

year, and got steadily worse. In January, the first-ever trillion dollar US budget worried fin-

By Philippe Naughton

LONDON, (Reuter): 1987 ended on a note of tragedy with the world's worst ever peacetime shipping disaster. Over 2000 people perished when a tanker collided with a ferry in the Philippines.

However on the political scene, the year ended on a bopeful note as a meeting between the two most powerful men in the world and the signing of the first pact to eliminate an entire class of nuclear arms sparked hopes that 1987 could come to mark a turning point in superpower relations.

The December summit between President Ronald Reagan and Sovjet leader Mikhail Gorbachev gave an upbeat climax to a year which saw famine again threaten the lives of millions of Africans and in whleb a stock market erash wiped out an estimated 2,000 billion dollars of paper wealth worldwide.

Reagan and Gorbachev said that in their three-day meeting they strengthened a relation-ship that would promote dialogue rather than confrontation between their traditionally hostile political systems.

For Reagan, the summit came as a diplomatic triumph after a nightmare of a year that included the Iran-Contra scana Republican loss of majority in the senate from last January, the Wall Street crash, prostate surgery and bis wife's breast cancer surgery.

The summit brought no

spectacular breakthroughs but produced what it was scheduled to do -- the signing of a superpower agreement to abolish medium-range nuclear missiles, and analysts said this was by itself an historie success.

The congressional report on the Iran-Contra scandal released in November said

Reagan must take responsibility for the sale of US arms to Iran and the diversion of some profits to the Contra

summit in Moscow in the first half of next year. Throughout the year Reagan faced problems of the sort that could confront any secondterm president, but these were aggravated both by the continuing saga of the "Irangate" scandal and hy a Democratcontrolled congress.

Congress sharply criticised Reagan for his decision to offer escort to Kuwaiti tankers in the Gulf and rejected two of bis nominees for a place on the bench of the supreme court.

Fired Wbite House aide Lieutenant-Colonel Oliver North became a media star when be testified to a congrescommittee con televised bearings into the scan-dal over the diversion of funds to Nicaraguan Contra rebels from the sale of arms to Iran. "I'm here to tell you the truth, the good, the bad and the

ugly. I'm here to tell it all," North told a spellbound America. His six days of televised testimony sent a wave of "Olliemania" across the



Repression: Armed Israell soldlers drag a Palestinian youth from his house following violent demonstrations in the Gaza Strip. The youth was later benten unconscious.

rebels even if he did not know what his aides had done.

The ultimate responsibility for the events in the Iran-Contra affair must rest with the president," it said.

Reagan's economie headaches began early in the new

ancial markets -- already con-ceroed that the United States had become the world's higgest Investors were also unsettled because the near halving of the dollar's value since 1985 had not cut the massive US trade deficit. Finally, in October, they decided it was time to bail out, On "Black Monday," October 19, Wall Street stocks plunged 22.6 per cent. Other markets followed and hy the end of the year the dollar had hit record lows against the mark, yen and Swiss francs. Crash The crash of 87 was a shock to the system that deeply worried economists and

Other, global financial prohlems persisted. Nohody could decide what to do about the 1,000 billion dollar debt Brazil, the third world's big-gest debtor, decided it was fed

up with the old prescriptions of austerity to enable it to keep up its debt payments, and suspended payments to its bankers. ed on uncertain prost

ects for timely repayment, bank accountants decided many old loans to the Third World were not worth as much they had thought. Some due-dates on debt were

postponed again, and econ-omists kept warning that unless a more permanent solution could be found, the debt erisis could still push the world into a recession.

Superpower summit brings hope in a But 1927 was not all economie doom and gloom. In the art world, prices went up and up. In November, Vincent Van Gogh's "Irises" painted in a mental asylum just under a cen-tury ago. letched \$53.9 million. becoming the most expensive painting ever sold at auction. Eight months earlier, his "Sun-flowers" had set a world record of £24.75 million (about \$40

million).

For Kremlin leader Gorbachev, 1987 seemed to be ending on a high note with his visit to Washington and the signing o'

the INF treaty.

At home, he had wo approval from the Communi party's policy-setting centcommittee for a major resh: ing of economic manageme a key element of bis "per troika" restruct

programme, starting from J uary 1988. During the year be a hrought other reform-minfigures into the party's rul Politburo, clearly strength ing his own position at the

of the Soviet power structur And despite a continu debate on what the extent of "glasnost" policy of open c cussion on public issues shou be, the Soviet press becar more outspoken on domes problems and long-bann literary works were published

But close to the surface at t year-end there was neverthele. a sense of unease among bot intellectuals, who had been strong source of support for the Kremlin leader, and ordinar, Soviet eitizens.

Muscovites grumbled more openly that despite the

Gulf war arena sucks in superpowers

Stalemate on battlefield, carnage at sea

By Stephen Jukes

BAHRAIN, (Reuter): Stale-mate on the battlefield and car-nage at sea — 1987 was the year that Iran and Iraq's bloody vendetta finally captured world headlines and sucked the superpowers into the Gulf war arena.

But despite an Armada of Western warships patrolling the Gulf, more seamen died than in any of the war's previous six years and prospects for peace in 1988 appear as slim as ever. Western diplomats in the Gulf said even a new readiness

hy Moscow to back an Iranian

arms embargo was unlikely to hreak diplomatie deadlock at the United Nations or halt figh-"The only hope for an end to the war seems to be the United Nations ... hut the chances are slim and it looks like the fighting will just roll on for another

year," said one diplomat.
Another said: "There are fears that superpower politics will get in the way at the UN and peace is secondary."

Moscow made a series of well received overtures to moderate Arah states in early 1987, hut is now viewed with deep suspicion after a warming of relations with Iran in past months.

And there are lingering fears among Gulf states over Washington's long-term commitment to the region. Some fear that the US only agreed to protect Kuwaiu tankers under the stars and stripes in mid-year

to keep Soviet influence at hay. Diolomats see the higgest uncertainty for 1988 in a possible change of Iranian leaderhip. Spiritual leader Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, 85, has long been rumoured to be ill.



hostility to the "Great Satan."

— The United States — or Iraq is expected whatever the outcome of a likely succession struggle between politicians and clerics

Manpower

But the impact on morale in Iran's army is less easily assessed. Under the influence of Khomeini, thousands are ready to die as martyrs in trench warfare unmatched for its ferocity since World War I.

fran relies most heavily on its

sunction manpower on the

ground, and 1988 may start

Iranian troops advancing on Iraq's southern city Basra. But military analysts believe

Iran still lacks the air eover needed to score a decisive vicfory and a long-awaited offensive hy massed troops has so far failed to materialise. A push by Iran north cast of

Basra recently may have been testing defences. Iraq claims it repulsed two brigades with heavy losses. Iran said it was simply a raid.

Al sea, Iraq is expected to keep up relentless pressure against Iran's fleet of oil tank-



ers, sending daily raiding sorties of mirage jets armed with French-made Exocet missiles.

Twenty-one sailors tost their lives when missiles slammed into the Norwegian-operated tanker Susangird on the treacherous Iranian crude shuttlerun down the Gulf. Iran's revolutionary guards

have attacked neutral shipping with a new ferocity, this month sinking their first ship since the so-called tanker war flared in

Their hit-and-run tacties fly in the face of Western navies now with some 80 warships, minesweepers and support vessels in the region and diplomats say attacks are

becoming bolder.

At least 71 merchant seamen have died this year and 37 US sailors were killed when an Iraq Exocet hit the frigate Stark in May. In 1986, 52 seamen were killed, while the number of Iraqi and Iranian attacks has risen to at last 135 from 80.

On the diplomatic front, UN secretary-general Javier Perez de Cuellar is still trying to rally support for an arms embargo against lian to force Tehran's leadership to accept the Security Council's July 20 ceasefire cali.

But diplomats said the Soviet Union, which has long blocked the move, was probably asking too high a price to secure a deal

with the United States and Britain - namely the forma-tion of a joint UN naval force to police an embargo.

Washington has made clear
it would view with suspicion

any move that might reduce its huge presence in the Gulf and allow Moscow to increase its foothold.

A compromise would be a limited UN force to check vessels entering the Gulf for Iranbound weapons, but military analysts doubt an embargo would be affective or alter Tehran's refusni to accept a ceasefire before Iraq is hranded aggressor in the war.
"I think we will see more of

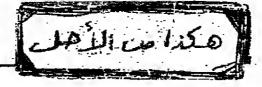
the same in 1988," said a Western diplomat, "Iran will play for time and every so often the war will spill over.

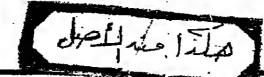
Kuwait, which triggered closer superpower involvement when it sounded out Moscow on chartering tankers to protect oil exports from Iranian attack, has been at the receiving end.

The bomh hlasts have rocked Kuwait this year, the most serious on May 22 when fire at the Al-Ahmadi industrial complex threatened to engulf key oil installations. Local newspapers blamed pro-Iranian Kuwaiti extremists.

Kuwait has also become a firing range for Iran's Chinesedesigned Silkworm missiles. one of which slammed into a US flag Kuwaiti tanker" the Sea Isle City" off its shores in October.

Saudi Arabia has also tell fran's wrath, with attacks against its oil tankers and nots in the holy city of Mecca in late July. The Saudi and Kuwadi embassies were later stormed in







Danger: A Sri Lankan sailor hits Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi in Colombo. The India-Sri Lanka accord has been opposed by the Tamil 'Tiger' rebels against whom the ladian forces are



Disaster: Survivors of the collision between a ferry and a tanker in the Philippines. Over 2,000 people perished in shark-iofested waters.

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vement in food supplies. Gorbachev's standing among the liberal intelligentsia and some workers had been weakened by the dismissal in November of Moscow party chief Boris Yeltsin, a radical reformer long regarded as one of his chief lieutenants.

Many educated Russians were shocked by the humiliation of the official at a meeting addressed by the Kremlin chief during which Yeltsin confessed his errors after ertswile aides had accused him of political and other offences

And among more traditionally-minded Soviet citizens. tbere was clear displeasure over what they saw as the extensive concessions made by Gorba-chev to the United States in his bid to achieve the INF treaty.

On his return from the summit, he appeared defensive in explaining the accord in a televner reformer ision address. And his armed forces chief-of-staff was subsequently brought in to assure. the country that the military

backed the treaty.
There was political turnioil in many Asian countries in 1987 — nowhere more so than South Korea where street protests forced President Chun Doo Hwan's military-domin ated government to agree in late June to reforms and the first free presidential election in 16 years.

The opposition appeared to be in a strong position to win the election on December 16 but the two leading opposition candidates insisted on running and the split anti-government vote gave government can-didate Roh Tae-Woo an easy

In China, January 1987 saw Communist party leader Hu Yaobang being forced to quit after nationwide prodemocracy student protests. However, the hardline veterans behind his dismissal were persuaded by senior leader Deng Xiaoping to relinquish power at the party's national congress

in October. Meanwhile national day celebrations in October 1 were marred by riots in Lhasa over

Chinese rule of Tibet Security forces opened fire on a growd attacking a police station. The official death toll was put at six but some Tiberans said as many as 19 people died.

Sri Lanka tried to solve its four-year-old separatist Tamil insurgency, which has cost more than 8,000 lives, agreeing to allow thousands of Indian troops on its territory.

The agreement, signed in Colombo in July hy Sri Lankan president Junius Jayewardene and Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, has been opposed by hardline Sinhalese. as well as the powerful Tamil Tiger rebels, against whom the Indian forces are conducting an offensive.

In Bangladesh, an opposition campaign to force the resignation of president Hos-sain Mohammad Ersbad led him to order a state of emergency, the first since 1974, and dissolve the 17-month-old parliäment.

In the Philippines, president Corazon Aquino reintroduced democracy with a general election and a new constitution.

Spe lought off a serious cour attempt by military rebels who had mutinied twice before and faced a worsening communist insurgency but she successfully hosted a regional south-east Asian summit meeting many had said would never take

In the Middle East, the Gulf war dragged on ioto an eighth year with Iran and Iraq apparently deadlocked, both on the battlefields and over political moves to end the con-

flict.
Diplomats in both capitals estimate Iran has around a quarter of a million men positioned close to the southern war-front, threatening an imminent attack to capture or cut off Iraq's second city Basra.

Iraqi military spokesman say

Basra's defensive shield, with greatly superior air power, is more than enough to repulse any attack. A big Iranian thrust towards Basra was thrown back last winter.

At the United Nations, Iraq has accepted a Security Council demand for a ceasefire but Iran will not consider doing so unless Iraq is first named as the aggressor state.

In the Gulf itself, Iraqi and Iranian raids on shipping reached a peak this year - marked by the entry of US naval forces to the Gulf --- with a confirmed total of at least 130 ships hit by missiles and mines. At least 70 merchant seaman have died in the attacks.

In late July, more than 400 people most of them Iranian pilgrims, were killed in fights during an Iranian demonstration near Islam's holiest shrine in Mecca. Tehran and Riyadh each blamed the other for the

Palestinian deaths during nearly two weeks of anti-Israeli protest in the Israeli-occupied West Bank and Gaza in December have been condem-ned both by the Jewish state's traditional foes and its friends. The protests spread to Arab towns inside Israel. In Central America, pes-

The many faces of 87: (clockwise) a British car ferry lies on its side as rescue boats search for bodies. A mother's relief at her son's survival in a plane crash; an AIDS victim is comforted by his wife; a famine-stricken mother and child in Ethiopia.

assess progress in implementsimism has given way to the ing their plan and "make the pertinent decisions." There is euphoria generated by a regional peace plan signed in widespread doubt that the Guatemala on August 7. The plan won the 1987 nobel peace meeting will result in a breakthprize for its principal author. rough. In Europe, there were echoes of older enmities. On August Costa Rican president Oscar

But the plan failed to bring 17. Rudolf Hess, the last surviving member of Hitler's inner about ceaselires in the three circle, committed suicide in civil wars which have killed an estimated 200,000 people in El Salvador, Nicaragua and Guatemala Cuasefire talks between left-wing guerrillas and the governments of El Salvador and Guatemala foundered over the antagonists' unwillingness to budge from long-standing

positions. There were on-again, off-again ceasefire talks between Nicaragua's left-wing government and right-wing rebels armed, trained and financed by the United States. Regional analysis saw little hope for an early end of the Nicaraguan

In the wake of the peace plan — signed by the presidents of Costa Rica. El Salvador. Nicaragua, Guatemala and Honduras — the antagonists in all three of the region's conflicts reported a marked upsurge in

fighting.
The five presidents are due to meet again on January 4 to

August after 40 years in West Berlin's Spandau Prison, Spandau itself was demolished immediately afterwards to stop it becoming a neo-Nazi shrine. In France, former SS commander Klaus Barbie, the "Butcher of Lyons," was sen-

tenced to life imprisonment in July after being found guilty on 340 separate counts including the torture of resistance fighters. The trial of the former Gestapo chief rekindled long-suppressed memories of Nazi occupation.

Worst

Somcof the worst news of the year came from Africa according to the United Nations as many as six million Ethiopians now face famine because of drought and their country needs more than a million tonnes of food aid. In Mozambique, the government says, 4.5 million of the 12 million inhabitants are short of food.

Relief agencies have iden-tified 17 other African countries in need of food because of crop failure resulting from

drought, locusts and war. Starting with Mauritania in the west the drought belt, shaped like a question mark, stretches east across the continent to Somalia then bends

south to Swaziland. It sweeps through Mali, Burkina Faso, Nigeria, Chad, Sudan, Ethiopia, Ugaoda, Zaire, Tanzania, Zambia, Malawi, Angola, Zimbabe,

Mozambique, and Botswana. There were several bad air crashes in 1987. Crashes in Detroit and Warsaw each killed over 150 people. The last weekend of November was the most gruesome. A South

African boeing 707 crashed

into the Indian ocean near the island of Mauritius killing 160. Next day, a Korean airlines 707 with 115 people on board disappeared over Burma. South Korea said a mid-air explosion destroyed the plane. On December 7 a Pacific

Southwest airlines plane cra-shed in California, killing all 43 people on board. Investigators who found a gun in the wreckage suspected a murder-suicide plot by one of the passengers.

In February, mudslides caused by an earthquake killed 1.000 near Quito in Ecuador. A month later, 188 people

died when a British ferry, the Herald Of Free Enterprise, capsised off the Belgian port of Zeebrugee.
In late December, a Manila-

bound ferry with at least 1,500 passengers aboard sank off the central Philippines after a collision with another ship. Some of the world's great

musicians died during the year. In June. Andres Segovia, generally regarded as the world's greatest classical guitarist, passed away in Madrid, aged 94. He took the elassical guitar from the gypsy haunts of his native Andalusia and almost alone elevated it to its honoured place on the concert stage. British Cellist Jacquelinc Du

Pre died in October, 14 years after the crippling disease multiple sclerosis forced her to abandon her concert career at the peak of international suc cess

In December Jascha Heifetz. the Russian-born virtuoso violinist, died in Los Angeles at the age of 86. Hollywood also lost some of

its legends: - Fred Astaire, the epitome of elegance who danced his way through 31 musical hirs, in June, aged 88.

- Comedian Danny Kaye, superb mimic and star of stage. screen, television and cabarets for more than 40 years, in

March aged 74.

Liberace, who puts sparkle ioto the classics and charmed audiences throughout the world with his.dazzling smile rippling keyboard style and outlandish wardrobe, in Los Angeles in February aged 67.



Celebrity deaths

Walter Abel, actor, 88, March Jean Anouilh, French dramat-

ist, 77, Oct 3. Fred Astaire, dancer-actor, 88,

Mary Astor, actress, 81, Sept

Malcolm Baldrige, US Secretary of Commerce, 64. July 25.



Andy Warhol, 58

James Baldwin, author, 63, Dec I Ross Barnett, Mississippi Governor, 89, Nov o.

Michael Bennett, Choreographer-director, 44, July 2. lim Bishop, columnist-author. 79. July 26.

Arthur Burns, economist, 83, June 26. Erskine Caldweil, author, 83, April II.

Madeleine Carroll, actress, 81. William Casey, ClA director, 74. May 6.

Camille Chamoun, Lebanese President, 87, Aug 7



Claire Booth-Luce, 84

James Coco, actor, 56, Feb 25. Gen. J. Lawton Collins, wartime commander, 91, Sept 11. Dalida, singer, 54, May 3. Ronnie Desillers, transplant

recipient, 7 April 29. Henry Ford II, automaker, 70 Sept 29

Bob Fosse, director-choreographer, 60, Sept 23.



Rita Hayworth, 68

Jackie Gleason, entertainer, 71, June 24 Charles E. Goodell, New York Senator, 60, Jao. 21.

Lorne Greeoe, actor, 72, Sept Rita Hayworth, actress, 68, May 14.

Jascha Heifetz, coocert violinist, Dec 10. Walter Heller, economist, 71,

Rudolf Hess, Hitler deputy, 93, Aug 17. Jobn Huston, film director, 81.

Dmitri Kabelevsky, Russian composer, 83, reported Feb 17. Rashid Karami, prime minister

Aug 28.



James Baldwin, 63



March 3. Nobusuke Kishi, Japanese politician, 90, Aug 7. Mervyn Leroy, 86, film direc-

tor, Sept 13. Joseph E. Levine, Movie Mogul, 81, July 31.

Rene Levesque, Canadian politician, 65, Nov 1. Liberace, entertainer, 67, Feb

Clare Boothe Luce, Playwright-politician, 84, Oct 9. Charles Ludlam, actor-dramatist, 44, May 28.

Lee Marvin, actor, 63, Aug 29, Alistair Mclean, author, 64, Feb 2. Gunnar Myrdal, Swedishecon-

omist, 88, May 17. Geraldine Page, actress, 62, June 13. Robert Preston, actor, 68.

March 21. M.G. Ramachandran, actor politician, 70, Dec 25.

Buddy Rich, Jazz musician, 69. April 2 Randolph Scott, actor, 89.



Rudolph Hess, 93

Andres Segovia, guitarist composer, 94, June 2. Dock Shawn, actor, 63, April

Ben Stabl, artist-illustrator, 77, Oct 19. David Suskind, entertainment producer, 66, Feb 22.

Gen. Maxwell Taylor, soldierdiplomat, April 19. Maria Von Trapp, singer, 82. March 28.



Rashid Karami, 65 Jackie Vernon, comedian, 62 Nov 10. Andy Warhol, artist, 58, Feb

Harold Washington, Chicago mayor, 65, Nov 25. Earl Wilson, columnist, 79. Jan



William Casey, 74

Dear Junior Readers,

It is a New Year and many of you have already thought of the New Year's resolutions you will adopt for 1988. Resolutions are usually the result of us wanting to change something about our lives; to do something we haven't done before or to stop doing something that we think is not for us.

A New Year gives us a chance to start fresh. It is a good time to forget about the mistakes we have made in the past and to resolve to try harder and do better in the future.

Best wishes, Junior Readers, for n very happy and successful New

Aunt Barbara

Happy birthday



Deo Marco Galumbo celebrates his second birthday on January 1. Best wishes, Deo, from Auntie Linda, your family and

Firsts and lasts

William the Cnnqueror first ordered the Tower of Londnn tn be huilt in 1078. Since then it has been a royal palace, a prison, a mint for making money, an

Beauty and the beast ONCE upon a time there lived a merchant who travelled a great deal in foreign parts. Once, as he was saying goodbye to his three daughters, he said,

on it. He was overjoyed, and stretched up his hand to hreak it off.

'My dear daughters, what

would you like me to bring

'Dearest Father,' said

'I should like a sparkling

the eldest, 'Please hring me

a beautiful pearl necklace."

diamond ring, said the

But the ynungest one whispered shyly. Father.

please hring me a green

hazel twig, as a sign that

you have not forgotten

So the merchant set nff

on his travels. His affairs

prospered, and he did not

forget his daughters. He

packed the pearl necklace

and the diamnnd ring in his

hag, hut nn matter how

hard he searched, he was

unable to find a green hazel

twig. He was still distressed

ahout this when, on his

way hnme, he came to a

dark forest. As the track

led through the thick

undergrowth, he felt some-

thing hrush against his

face. There was a sound like hailstones falling to

the ground, and when he

looked up he saw a

beautiful green hazel twig,

with golden nuts hanging

home for you?"

middle one.

At that very moment a huge bear shot out of the undergrowth, uncovering its fangs in a dreadful snarl. It towered up on its hind legs as if about to rend the merchant limh from limb, and roared. Why have you hrnken my hazel twig?"
'Dear hear', said the

merchant, quivering with fear, 'let me take the hazel twig and go home in peace. and I will send ynu an enormous ham, and as many sausages as ynu can eat.'

'Keep your ham, and your sausages, bellnwed the bear. You may go only if ynu promise to give me the first living creature that comes tn meet ynu when ynu return home.

The merchant promised. He felt sure that his dog would he the first creature to come running to him, and he did not mind sacrificing the dog in nrder tn save his own life.

So the bear padded nff into the forest and the merchant continued his homeward journey, with the golden hazel twig glittering in his hat. To his horror, as

he approached his house. he saw his youngest daughter running to meet him, while the dog stood on the doorstep behind her. In great distress he told his family what had happened when he broke the hazel twig, and they were filled

carriage drew up in front of the house, and out of it stepped the ugly great bear. With a growl and a snarl he padded into the house, and there he insisted that the father should keep his promise. There was nn help for it, and the



and off she went in the carriage with her horrible hridegroom.

Once outside, the bear laid his shaggy head in the girl's lap and growled. Stroke my head, scratch my ears and tickle my chin or I will eat you.

The girl stroked and scratched him so gently that the bear was delighted. The carriage flew along more swiftly than the wind, and it seemed as though the black horses had grown wings. Soon they came to the dark forest and the carriage came to a halt at the entrance 10 a cave. This was the bear's dwelling. How terrified the girl was when she saw the black cave gaping among the rocks! Nor was her terror any the less when the bear clapsed her round the waist with his huge arm, and whispered gently, 'Here you are to live and be content; hut you must do what I tell vnu, or my wild beasts will eat vnn.

They stopped forward into the cave. The bear pushed npen a massive iron gate, and they entered a mom which was full of poisonous snakes, whnse inngues darted out towards them. The bear grawled into his hride's ear, 'Take great care to

look neither to right nor to left — then you will be safe."

The girl trembled with fear, but she remained steadfast, and looked neither to right nor to left, and passed safely through

the eleventh room. So they reached the twelfth rnom, and there a brilliant light gleamed through the open door, and the girl could hear music, and sounds of joy and great jubiliation. There came a clap of thunder, and then deep silence.

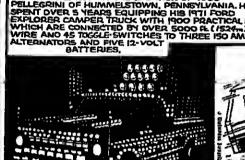
In that clap of thunder forest, cave, mnnsters, hear — all vanished. Befnre her ruse a splendid castle, crowned with turrets of gold, with a host of servants standing to welcome her at the gate: and at her side, instead of the huge, growling bear. stond a young man, a prince, tall and handsome. He joyfully kissed his hride, thanking her for releasing him, through her cnurage, from the spell which had bound him. The hazel twig had been the key to her good furtune.

Her father and her sisters were invited to the castle for the wedding. The prince and his bride were married, and they all lived happily ever after.

ohservatory and, lastly, the home of the Crown Jewels.

Charles the First was beheaded on January 30th. As the cnffin was carried to his burial place, its hlack velvet covering was covered over with snow — white for

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Sign here, please

Giving someone a pen, you have him initial the end of one

of your husiness cards. Removing the card from its

name on the back. When he turns the card over to the first

side you have somehow added a written message just

Take one of your husiness cards and cut a V-notch through the centre, as in the illustration; this is your

"gimmick" (1). Write a message on a second card, hut keep all the words on the same end that matches your

gimmick. Place this card on top of ten or twelve more of

your cards and put your gimmick on top of it. Wrap a

ruhber band twice around the packet of cards making sure the hand hides the cut edges of the gimmick. Have a

Drop the packet of cards in front of your friend and hand him the pen. Ask him to put his initials nn the card,

and put your finger nn tnp nf the gimmick (2). Apparen-

tly this is just to hold the cards steady for him but it also

makes sure he puts his initials on the end of the card below

the gimmick. After he has signed it, pick up the packet

with one hand and slip your index finger of the other hand

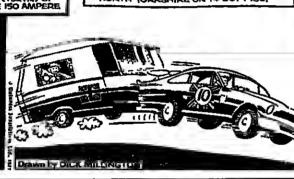
under the end of the card with the initials. Lift the end of

the card so that you can remove it from the packet.

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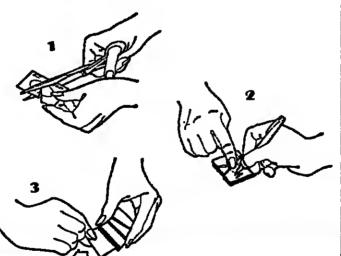
berbanded packet, you then have him write his first

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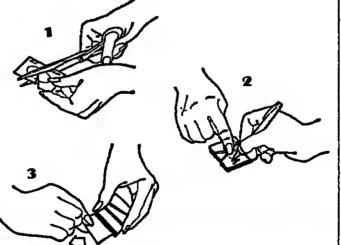


card over. Surprise! If she wants to examine the packet of cards you can



slide out the card (3). You are now holding the second card, the one with the message, but it looks as though you removed the top card of the packet. Place this card in front of the person and have him write his first name across it, as you quietly drop the packet of cards into a drawer. Take back your pen and then have him turn the

very easily thumb off the gimmick as you remove them from the drawer.



High jumpers far travelers

Fleas. Anyone who owns a pet is likely to know all too well a little insect called the flea. These impolite insects live in the hair of many animals. They can go from one animal to another quite easily. But did you know that fleas do not have wings? They cannot fly - but they are wonderful jumpers. They can jump one hundred times their own height. Terns. The Arctic tern leads a strange life. It spends three months of each year near the North Pole, three months near the South Pole - and almost six months in the air! This small bird makes

any animal. The tern summers in the North. In the fall it heads south. Traveling at 50 to 55 kilometers an hour, stopping to rest and eat on the ocean and on land, the tern flies south for three months. After a trip that may cover 18 thousand kilometers, the tern reaches the South Pole.

one of the longest trips of

But when spring comes. the tern is off again.It makes annther 18 thousand-kilnmeter trip, returning to its home in the North. This little bird, then, flies a round trip covering as much as 36 thnusand kilometers. And it repeats the trip each year!

The curse of the lost idol

ANNIE followed the Professor's voice back tn the boat. She half expected to find one of the passengers missing hut they were all there and nnt one nf them looked guilty. So the thief had not made a getaway. Why not?

Ahmed Ahlunda, the local Police Chief, arrived and put every one under boat arrest. Annie found it all quite exciting -- she had never heen a suspect before.

Annie couldn't wait to be interrogated. She was itching to tell the police chief what she had heard. But when her turn came, he did not seem at all interes-

Instead, he asked her silly, meaningless questions ... Where is the Baron? What is the numher of the Swiss hank account? Where is the golden mask, the doubloons and the pieces of eight?

Annie decided he was a useless detective andprobably half mad. She was closer to solving the mystery than he was, so she

would do some snooping nn her own. But did he have any information that would help her?

Then she spotted a piece of yellow paper destined for the ruhbish bin. It was covered in the Police Chief's strange scrawl. Was it Arabic? Nn! She waited for a moment

when he wasn't looking, picked something out of her bag and used it to decipher the scrawl. She was not sure if it was useful or not. Still, it might come in handy later.

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smooth and flat Dr Boffin - the walls were completely

D.P. Culia — the floor of the chamber was sandy like a beach

Prof. P. Pott - I went to the ladder - no one left or entered the chamber

S. Seoop - I heard nothing

D. de Visp - I heard a digging noise

about one minute 1. Trubble - the light went out for

it was dark for 60 seconds

Witnesses' Statements.

Answer: The Police Chief's notes are written back in front and the piece of paper is upside down. Annie takes her pocket mirror from her bag to read the notes. She turns the paper the other way up and holds it in front of the mirror. Do the same thing and you can find out what is written on the yellow paper.

Peace

above his initials.

The preparation:

The trick:

- 1. What are the origins of the dove and olive branch as peace symbols?
- 2. Whn used a calumet?

pen ready and you're all set.

- 3. Why, according to the Sermon on the Mount are the peacemakers hlessed? 4. Of whom was it said, 'They make a wilderness and
- call it peace"? 5. Which war was terminated by the peace treaty signed in 1905 at Portsmnuth, New Hampshire?
- 6. What was Henry Fnrd's contribution to peace during Wnrld War I?
- 7. Many peace treaties were signed in Paris. Those signed there in 1763, 1783, 1856, and 1898 ended which
- wars?
- 8. What is ironic about the Nobel Peace Prize, awarded annually to further the cause of international peace?

Answers: I. They came from the Book of Genesis in the Bible. There it is said that Noah sent forth a dove from the ark to see if the waters had abated, and the dove returned with an olive leaf in its mouth, indicating that the flood was nver and thus that the anger nf God was appeased. 2. The North American Indians. It is a long-stemmed, ornamental pipe used for ceremonial purposes and was also known as a 'peace pipe.' 3. For they shall be called the children of God.' 4. The Romans. According to Tacitus, it was said by Calgacus to the Caledonians he led before the battle of Mons Graupius in Scotland in AD 83. 5. The Russo-Japanese War. 6. In 1915 he headed a peace expedition to Europe, which proved to be a dismal failure. 7. The Seven Years War, the War of American Independence, the Crimean War, and the Spanish-American War, respectively. 8. Alfred Nobel, a Swedish chemist and manufacturer, invented dynamite, although he later had strong misgivings about the potential use of his invention in warfare.

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Loans settlement scheme a success: **Sheikh Salem**

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Shelkh Salem Abdul Aziz THE difficult bank loans settiement scheme had achieved good results and these were reflected on the banking system and the whole local economy, the Governor of Kuwait's Central Bank, Sheikh Salem Abdul Aziz Al Sabah, said.

He told a local newspaper that 698 dealers with a debt of KD 408.5 million bad no problems because they had surplus funds and had either repaid the loans or arranged to repay them.

Debtors Uptn Dec 10 the problem was limited to 1,129 debtors with a total debt of KD1,846.4 million.

The debts of 1,066 or 94.4 per cent of the dealers had already been technically settled. Their total debts amounted in KD 1.689.1 million or 92 per cent nf the loans on dealers facing a

He said that only n very few dealers therefore remained and it was clear from the figures that the scheme was about to be com-

He said that 779 settlements had been documented at the Justice Ministry until Dec 10, adding that this number would increase greatly by the end of this year because the local banks had many settlements ready for documenta-

Sheikh Salem said the Central Bank had instructed the local commercial banks to take the necessary legal action against all dealers who had not cooperated with the settlement.

Action Debtors who had not come for settlement, had no right to make settlements now and would face legal action. He added that local banks had already begun such

legal steps.
Speaking about the government bills and bonds, the governor said the Central Bank had made three issues so far with a total value of KD 628 million, and these had been covered in full. The bank had received a flood of demands for buying bills and bonds, and there had been stiff competition in pur-

chaoing them.

Sheikh Salem pointed nut that
the issue of these instruments had belped greatly in building a frame for interest rates on the Kuwaiti

dinar now and for the future. He said these hills and bonds had created an active secondary market for their tale and pur-

KIO raises stake in BP

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): The Kuwait Investment Office (KIO), an investment arm of the Kuwait government, has raised its stake in oil giant British Petroleum Co Ple (BP) to 17.4 per cent from 17.07 per cent a week ago, a KIO spokesman said

He told Reuters that K10 bought a further 22 million BP partly paid-up shares at 70.5 pence (\$1.31) each yesterday. This was just above the 70 pence quoted on the London Stock Exchange at midday today for

the recent issue. The spokesman declined to confirm whether KIO, which has been steadily building up a stake in BP since the flopped sell-off of the government's remaining shareholding in October, would continue to buy BP sbares in the

Unwanted

The 70.5 pence price KIO paid for its latest purchase was just half a pence above the price at which the Bank of England is Offering until January 6 to buy back unwanted part-paid shares

from the public. The British Central Bank made the offer to help underpin the new issue after it was heavily undersubscribed at its launch at £1.20 (\$2.23) a share payable

immediately in October. KIO raised its stake just as BP. the world's third biggest oil company, was preparing to release its offer document for the whole of the issued share eapital of independent British oil company

Policy makers try to evolve right corporate strategy

Financial system generates new mood of optimism

Dr Abdullah M. S. Ghanem is the Director of the institute of Banking Studies. He was a member of the high-level committee appointed by the government to recommend measures to reactivate the Kuwait economy. Ghanem spoke last week with Arab Times' Business Editor M. C. Bose.

QUESTION: Your recent publication The Financial Index of Companies listed in the Kuwait Stock Exchange drows an overall improvement in the performance of the corporate sector. Do vou consider this performance to continue in 1988?

Answer: The corporate sector in Kuwait experienced a major setback in both 1984 and 1985 due to the economie recession and the crash of Souk Al-Manakh. This trend was reversed in 1986 with the overall performance of the corporate units showing an improvement. In terms of profit, the sector as a whole registered a net profit of KD. 35.60 million as against a net loss of K.D. 178.00 million in 1985. The average return on equity, an important measure of performance. improved to 4.12 per ceot in 1986 as against a negative 19.37 per

also a marginal improvement in the market capitalisation (market value of equity shares). This improvement in corporate performance was largely an outcome of a series of measures taken by the authorities to stimulate the economy and boost financial markets. Among them, the most important was the debt settlement programme, which inspired con-

fidence and enthusiasm to the

business community. Measures

to revive the stock market was

cent in 1985. Similarly there was

another factor. Furthermore, there was an encouraging return to a positive mooetary growth in cootrast to its decline in the previous years. All these contributed to the improvement in corporate performance.

This favourable environment confinued 'throughout 1987.'
Additionally, the overwhelming response to the scuttement programme and the recovery of oil prices since the start of 1987 gave a further impetus to the business activity. As a result one improvement in 1988.

Q: Your study shows that 25 major companies could make o reasonable profit in 1986 while

influence the corporate performance both positively ond negatively? What are the strength and weaknesses of the Kuwoiti A: Among the 33 companies we have studied. 25 companies were able to make profit in 1986 and the remaining eight firms

eight others continued to suffer losses. What are the factors that

had incurred losses during the year. Note that six companies have recorded high profitability A company may be called a highly profitable company if its return on equity is 15 per cent or more. In 1985, as many as 18 eompanies made losses. Thus the

scenario in 1986 was considerably better than that of 1985, But this does not suggest that every-thing is fine with the Kuwaiti companies.

Take the example of industrial sector. A considerable number of production units are operating much below their optimum

production capacity because of the limited local market and nonavailability of protection and adequate subsidy to local production. In the process, their production efficiency is low and their costs are high and therefore. they are not able to compete in the local or international mark-

We all agree that a strong nonoil sector is a pre-condition for diversifyiog our economy. In this context, it is imperative that some of the industries especially the new born ones requires protectioo. Another step will be to encourage consumption of locally produced commodities. Also, there is a case for encouraging export of locally manufactured goods.

Speaking of the strength and weaknesses of the companies, two aspects oeed to be mencan expect some more may have to professionalise their management cadres. A profescan introduce innovations, and remember that, without incovation profits will be squeezed.

A second aspect is that corporate unils will have to develop an adequate corporate reporting system with a detailed disclosure on the working of the companies. This cannot only go a long way in improving corporate performance but it will also belp the policy makers to evolve the right corporate strategy.

Q: Does the improved performance of the corporate sector suggest that the outlook for the Kuwaiti economy is now more hopeful than ot any time since 1983? Do you foresee o significant growth in the economy next year?

A: An improved enryorate performance is a good sign of recovery of the Kuwaiti connomy. It indeed reflects the revival of the non-oil sector of the Kuwaiti economy from the deep recession it had been through since the second half of 1982. This was made possible by a series of measures taken by the government in the past two

They are mainly, the banks' debt seitlement programme, lowering of interest rates, new housing formula, share splitting, land appropriation scheme, and a more importantly, an encouraging monetary policy persued by the Central Bank. All these have laid the foundations for economic revitalisation.

Consequently, last year there was a relative recovery in the markets for financial and real estate assets. The volume of shares traded increased in 1986 to 430 million shares as against 178 million shares in 1985 and 19 nullion shares in 1984.

With the noticeable improvement in land prices in some residential areas, the average value of residential properties decreased by only 12.2 per ceot in 1986 compared with 30.5 per cent drop in 1985. Also, the drop in rent was partially arrested. Increase in the number of housing starts, and the new housing formula involving low cost plot with loan, and increased provision of development expen-diture in the current year's budget should have led to some pickup in construction activity. At the same time, the wholesale and retail trade are yet to register a significant improvement. On the whole, we can say that the worst is over.

The government's programme



Dr Abdullah M. S. Ghanem

to settle the non-performing lnans which hanged over the financial system has generated a new mood of uptimism in the private sector. This should bring ahout adequate momentum in the domestic economy.

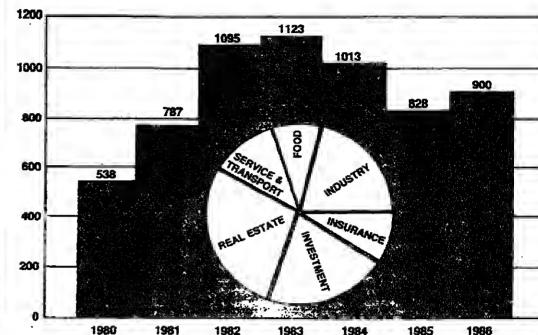
Externally, the eurrent account of the balance of payments remained healthy in 1986. Given the sharp rise in oil prices in 1987 and the policy to rationalise the public expenditure, external balance in 1987 was much better than in 1986. The recent Opec agreement to adhere to the production quotas suggests a further firming of oil prices. Thus, the Kuwait econ-omy enters the New Year with hopeful signs.

Q: Do you think the uptrend in Q: Do you think the uptrend in share prices tend in reflect the growing confidence in the economic environment, in particular, the government's policies?

A: During 1987, share prices registered a satisfactory increase.

During the first half of the year, the all-share price index for Kuwaiti stocks registered a 5.8 perceotgainas compared to a 4.1 per cent drop in the price of Gulf shares. Oo average, in 1987 Kuwaiti stocks stood at 42 per cent of the price level prevailing as of end 1983. In the parallel market also, a similar trend was

SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY OF KSE COMPANIES (MILLION KD)



This improvement in share market activity is a reflection of the renewed confidence gained by the investors. Splitting of shares could have attracted a large number of small investors. Allowing Kuwaiti shareholding companies to by up to 10 per cent of their stocks priced at market value generated some activity. To be sure, the settlement of difficult debts of banks provided a favourable sentiment. Other measures like the regulation of Gulf joint stock companies quoted on the market, the liquidation and merger of some companies and the introduction of a system confining daily share price movements to a narrow range also bad a positive impact on the market.

Interestingly, this year's share movements reflected a change in the jovestors' outlook. Investors have become more sophisticated and less speculative. As a result, sbare prices more or less moved in line with the economic fundamentals.

Q: How do you envisage the performance of the Kuwaiti banking sector next year? Do you think the debt settlement programme confidence

A: The programme to settle problem loans has done much to

restore confidence in the banking sector. Clearance of debt overhang geared up banks' lending activities. Consequently, banks lending to the private sector in 1987 (up to Sept.) increased by KD 309 million as compared to ao increase of just KD 112 million and KD 88.6 million in the comparable periods of 1986 and 1985 respectively.

Detailed figures for September — the most recent available show that lending grew to all sectors except real estate, where it has declined by KD3 million in the first 9 months of 1987. Lending to trading and construction sectors showed a jump of KD 53.9 and KD 73 million respectively in 1987 as against increases of KD 3.1 millioo and KD33.4 million io the same period of

Notably, lending to the construction sector showed a rise to KD 774.1 millioo in Sept 1987, the bighest level recorded in recent years.

No doubt that this pick-up in bank credit io a healthy sign. Giveo the prospects for a further revival of the economy and the reduction in cost of borrowing owing to a downward interest rate adjustment credit demand will gradually increase. The three sectors which will generate much

of the credit demand will be trade, construction and financial institutions.

But then the expected additional credit requirement will only use up a portion of the vast deployable resources available with banks. This is natural given the limited absorptive capacity of the Kuwaiti economy. Hence, banks will have to extend their business abroad in search of asset growth. While doing so, banks may have to diversify their foreign assets portfolio with a view to increasing the return on such assets. Note that presently, banks' assets abroad are largely held in riskfree deposits with banks.

Even domestically, banks may have to venture into new lines of business to increase their profitability. There is now an iocreasing realisation that retail banking in the local market is insufficiently profitable. The receot trend in the regioo has been to switch banks' focus to iovestment and merchant bankiog. Perbaps, it is time that K uwaiti banks moved into investment and merchant banking to meet the growing needs of high net worth individuals and the growing corporate entities. Ooce the Gulf economy picks up, it will open a number of opportunities

Total reserves estimated at KD25b

Kuwait regains financial confidence

By M.C. Bose

THE ehief economist and assistant general manager of the National Bank of Kuwait, Dr Ziad Taky, has said there are more indications that the Kuwaiti economy is completing the consolidation process that has been taking place in the last four years. This is reflected in the relative stability in oil revenues experienced during 1987 and the adoption by the government of an expansionary fiscal policy which involves increasing overall expenditures by 3.4 per ecnt, including an increase of 7.5 per cent in allocations for development projects, emphasizing those that generate greater activity in the local economy. Dr Taki told the Arab Times

that the outlook for the domestie economy during 1988 remains favourable but affected to a great extent by developments in the international oil markets and whether any progress is achieved in the reduction of hostilities in the region.

However, it is expected that the first half of 1988 will still be affected by expenditures set in the 1987-88 budget.

Activity Government expenditures will remain the main catalyst of overall business activity in 1988. affecting positively the construction sector particularly housing for Kuwaiti nationals, and the

services sectors. "According to published data,

the total reserves of the State of Kuwait are estimated at KD25 billion, of which about KD14.3 billion are in the Reserve Fund for Future Generation, and the balance (KD10.7 billion) is in the General Reserve Fund. Alt indications show that these funds are being invested prudently with emphasis on the geographic and sectorial diversification of risk. The recent purchase of 15 per cent of BP shares appear to be in line with the choice of a good investment that will be generat-ing adequate divident yield and indicates a greater involvement in an oil related sector of aeuvity," Dr Taky added.

The recent launch of the government borrowing programme through the issuance of Treasury bills and bonds up to KDI,400 million should reduce the need for the use of the reserves to finance any budgetary deficit.

Expenditure He said that Kuwait's public finance started to reap the benesits of rationalisation in the 1986/87 fiscal year, when the drop in total revenues to KD1,723 million, was to some extent, offset by a larger than expected 12 per cent eut in expen-diture to KD2,723 million. This leaves a strictly defined budget deficit of KD1,000 million.

The 1987/88 budget announced on June 30, 1987 continues the previous year's fiscal policies. An anticipated 3.5 per cent increase in revenues mainly from firmer oil prices, will rise a sharper 7.3 per cent, elearly reflecting the government's desire to support the productive sectors. Wages and salaries are also set to increase by 10 per cent, though the final budget deficit will probably be less than the projected KD1,179 million, depending whether the firmness in oil prices conunues until the end of the fiscal year in June 1988.

The considerable headway achieved in the implementation of the "Difficult Credit Facilities Settlement Programme" has gradually restored confidence to the financial sector.

Data released by the authorities show that about 94.4 per cent of the total debt settlement cases have been "technically"

The programme guarantees the rights of depositors and sharebolders as well as banks' total equity position as it stood on December 31, 1975.

The progress achieved so far should enable the banks to concentrate more on productive activities in the local economy. Moreover, the fact that the government guarantees the equity position of all the banks as it stood at end 1985 has eliminated any doubts regarding the support that the authorities will

provide to local banks. Dr Taky said the reopening of the Kuwait dinar bond market to foreign borrowers is of course subject to the approval of the monetary authorities, taking into consideration the liquidity conditions in the market as well as any forthcoming issues in the public debt borrowing programme.

Last May, the National Bank of Kuwait received approval from prime international borrowers and solely lead manage the only two foreign bond issues since 1982, namely, the KD20 million for the World Bank, both are AAA-rated institutions.

It is boped that, the monetary authorities will eonsider the reopening the KD market again to foreign borrowers now that the Treasury borrowing programme has proved to be a great success.

This step should provide the local financial institutions with the opportunity to lend the surplus Kuwaiu dinar in hand. Dr Taky added that the December Opec meeting, which

ended with no new agreement, brought to a close the fragile yet surprisingly effective stability in

Undoubtedly the price being organisation-regulated, was artificial to demand and supply positions, with excess production suggesting that a market determined price average \$15.00, would have prevailed for most of last year, in the absence of the Opec agreement.

Oil production above the Opec quotas as well as stock-piling by consuming countries in the immediate wake of the Opec disagreement, should put more Against the international

lower growth environment the possibility that prices may dip beneath \$12.00, per barrel cannot be ruled out, with such a lower price prevailing for several months. However, given supply con-

straints (many oil wells in the US have to shut down at the price of \$10.00), increased fuel substitution into oil and Opec inevitable realisation that a freefall in oil prices is not in anybody's interest, a price of around \$10 to \$12 is unlikely to be permanent. Production

An eventual Opec agreement and lower production will firm prices towards \$15.00, with most oil analysts estimating a supply and demand equilibrium price averaging \$15.00 for 1988 as a wbole - however violent oscillations notably in the near term and particularly on the downside must be recognised.

The impact of the above adverse developments in the oil market will be much less severe on Kuwait because of its distinct advantage of relying less on the export of erude oil, since Kuwait's exports over 60 per cent of its oil in the form of refined products, as well as due to Kuwait's successful establishment of retail outlets in Europe, thus delivering the refined products to the ulumate consumer. Both of the above factors provide Kuwait with more flexibility in pricing its oil exports.

operations in Iran TOKYO, Dec 30, (Reuter): Japanese companies are sharply

Trade and Industry to Jupanese companies urging them to reduce their dealings with Iran, the newspaper said.

the extended New Year holiday. Japan receives more than half of its oil supplies through the Strait of Hormoz and thus has been anxious to avoid antagonising Gulf war combatants Iran and Iraq. The Ynmiuri said Japao was expected to redoce new oil import contracts by a hefty 33 per cent from January next year to a total of around 240,000 barrels of Iranian crude oil.

of 20 per cent to a total of 210 employees, and two unidentified companies have closed their Tchrao offices, it said. Trade between Irun and Japan fell markedly during the first half of 1987. Japan's dollar-based exports to Iran dropped 20 per cent to \$537 million, while its imports from Irao feli 22.6 per cent to \$846

International business in 1987 investment spending. per eent in most rich countries,

bull market. On Black Monday. October 19, the New York stockmarket fell 22.6 per cent after having trebled in five years. By October 24 investors in America. Japan and Britain were more than SI trillion poorer. Hong Kong's market temporarily

Stockmarkets limped through the remainder of the year. Tokyo was hit less hard than the others. Real economic growth continued at between 2 per cent and 3

with low inflation, but some EEC and OECD soothsayers predicted a less happy new year according to the Economiost.

The falling dollar

The American dollar touched new lows against the yen (around 126) and the D. mark (DM1.62). The markets were unimpressed hy plans to reduce America's budget deficit by \$30 billion in the current fiscal year, and by West Germany's attempts to boost its economy with increased

Japanese exporters eoped well with the mighty yen by cutting eosts and moving production overseas, particularly of cars and consumer goods. Helped by government spending, Japan's domestie demand grew by a vigorous 4-1/2 per cent or so in

A big settlements backlog posed problems as London's newly deregulated market heated up. After the crash, this turned to concern about whether

some investors had the cash to settle at all. They did.

Job-hopping turned to jobhunting in a shakeout of financial firms. Six firms left the Eurobond market; Chemicat Bank in New York moved to cut 2,000 jobs worldwide; Salomon Brothers sacked 800 employees and quit the American municipal-bond market. Shearson Lehman, a Wall Street investment bank, bought a retail stockbroker, E.F. Hulton.

IDB loan for Jordan

JEDDAH. Dec 30. (Opecna): The Islamic Development bank (1DB) is to extend a \$15 million loan to Jordan for the import of crude oil from a member coun-

The credit was signed here by 1DB president Dr Ahmad Mohamed Ali and the Jordanian ambassador to Saudi Arabia. Mohamed Rassol Al Kilani.

This brings total 1DB financing to Jordan since August this (Continued on Page 14) | year to 541.6 million.

World Business Summary

A mood of cautious optimism prevails

LONDON, Dec 30, (Kuna): Comparatively stable oil prices and good investment earnings have resulted in renewed business confidence in Kuwait nver the last year, according to a specialist shipping newspaper. In a special three-page supplement on Kuwait, Lloyd's List focused on the economy, shipping and oil

market in the country.

A mood of "cautious optimism" after two years of recession prevailed and the government had turned the economy around after settling the fall out from 1982's Souk Al Manakh collapse. Most experts agreed that the upturn in economic activity over the last year was built ou firmer ground than the highly speculative days of the inte 70s and early 80s, the daily said. The economy was perhaps more vulnerable to the recent stock market crash than fears about nil prices, it noted, but the estimated \$86,000 million

invested by the Kuwaitis worldwide was part of a long-term strategy and not based nn quick profit-taking.

The government had moved to reduce Kuwait's overdependence nn crude and products sales and this had already met with

The paper also commented that the insurance sector was set for a modest upturn in premium income this year, stemming from an increase in government spending over the last year which had stimulated construction work in the country.

Meanwhile, according to a Gulf report based on International Monetary Fund statistics, total GCC imports from Japan, the US and EEC member states dropped from \$55,074 hilling in 1984 to \$46,599 hillion in 1985 and to \$40,724 billion in 1986. GCC states' imports from 1984 to 1986, dropped as follows: Kuwait from \$7,902 tn \$5634 billion, United Arab Emirates from \$7,043 to \$6,750 billion, Bahrain from \$3,524 to 2,390 billion, Saudi Arabia from \$33,695 to \$22,114 billion, Oman from \$2,748 to \$2,714 hillion, Qatar from \$1,162 tn \$1095 hillion.

Japan cuts business

cutting new oil import contracts with Iran and laying off staff or closing their Tehran offices, the mass circulation Yomiuri Shimbun reported today. The cuts follow an advisory from the Ministry of International

A Miti spokesman was not available for comment because of

Japanese companies plan to reduce Tehran staff by an average

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London Stock Market Report

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UK EQUITIES FIRM WITH WALL STREET IN LATE TRADING LONDON, DEC 30 - U.K. SHARES STOOD FIRM IN LATE TRADING WITH THIS MORNING'S RALLY FUELLED BY A HIGHER OPENING ON WALL STREET THIS AFTERNOON, OEALERS SAIO.

THE DOLLAR'S NEW FOUND STEADINESS AND BARGAIN MUNTING AFTER MONDAY'S SHAKEOUT HELPED DRIVE PRICES HIGHER THROUGHOUT THE DAY, BUT VOLUME WAS SEASONALLY LIGHT WITH A MODEST 222 NLN SHARES TRADED BY 1500 GMT. AY 1530 GMT THE FTSE 100 SHARE INOEX WAS UP 27.0 POINTS AT 1,757.3.

CONTINUED ACTIVITY ON THE TAKEGVER FRONT ADDED TO TODAY'S FIRMER TREND, WITH THE NEW BP SHARES YHE MOST ACTIVE AMIO SPECULATION THAT KUWAIT WAS RAISING ITS STAKE IN THE COMPANY. KUMAIT TODAY CONFIRMED IT HAD RAISED ITS STAKE IH BP TO

17.40 PCT FROM 17.07 PCT. THE NEW BP SHARES WERE STEADY AT YESTERDAY'S CLOSING OF 70P WHILE THE OLD WERE UP 7P TO 257. THE BATTLE FOR BRITOIL CONTINUED WITH THE U.S. COMPANY ATLANTIC RICHFIELD (ARCO) AGAIN BIODING FOR BRITOIL SHARES TODAY WITH NEWS IT HAD RAISED ITS STAKE IN THE U.K. OIL EXPLORATION

COMPANY TO 21.1 PCT FROM 20.4 PCT. BP HAS MADE A 2.27 BILLION STG, 450P PER SHARE, OFFER FOR ALL OF BRITOIL, WHILE ATLANTIC RICHFIELD IS PROPOSING TO ACQUIRE A 49.9 PCT STAKE IN THE COMPANY. BRITOIL SHARES WERE UP 3P AT 437-1/2P.

London Gold

LONDON, OEC 30 - GOLD EASED IN LISTLESS HOLIOAY TRADING TO CLOSE AT 484.25/75 OLRS AN OUNCE, AGAINST TUESDAY'S 486.50/487 OLRS AND AFTER AN AFTERNOON FIX TODAY OF 484.10. A STEADIER DOLLAR AFTER CENTRAL BANK INTERVENTION TO PROP UP THE CURRENCY DISCOURAGED BUYING IN GOLD, AND PRICES DRIFTED LOWER AS THE SESSION WORE ON, ANALYSTS SAID. OPERATORS WERE UNWILLING TO TAKE SIGHIFICANT POSITIONS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE MARKET BEFORE THE NEW YEAR BREAK. VOLUME WAS LIGHT. PRICES TRADEO IN A FAIRLY MARROW RANGE, TOUCHING A HIGH OF 487/487.50 AND A LOW OF 482.50/483 OLRS. A WEAKER TREND IN NEW YORK GOLD FUTURES PROMPTED LIGHT PROFESSIONAL SELLING.

London Money Market

LONDON, DEC 30 - MONEY MARKET INTEREST RATES WERE STEADY AT YESTERDAY'S CLOSING LEVELS AFTER AN EARLY 1/16 POINT MARKDOWN FAILED TO PROVOKE FOLLOW-THROUGH INTEREST, DEALERS SAIO. THE MARKET WAS QUIET, WITH MANY OPERATORS ENJOYING A LONG CHRISTMAS HOLIOAY. BROKERS SAIO OPERATORS WHO ARE PRESENT WERE DIVIDED BETWEEN THOSE WHO CANHOT DEAL DUE TO YEAR-END RESTRICTIONS AND YHOSE WHO ARE UNSURE OF THE PATH OF U.K. INTEREST RATES AND ARE KEEPING TO THE SIDELINES IN THE ABSENCE

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	DMK 1.5929/6009	2.956/970	••	29.440/600	FIX
1	FFR 5.4065/4205	10.037/055	338.9/339.3		FIX
	SFR 1.2925/2940	2.3982/4036	80.91/81.08	23.88/93	1300
	HFL 1.7970	3.3350	112.485	33.21	FIX
	ECU 1.29177	.695808	2.06037	699104	FIX
	SDR 1.40817	UNAV	2.23617	7.65059	CLSE
	YEN 123.42/52	229.40/72		• · • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	HOON
	SDR	29/12/1987	OTHERS	30/12/1987	

BRYANT HL	131 //	133/0	HICKSN. IN	158 (D	15770	RATNERS	245 10	247/0
BUCKLEYS BULNER HP	172/0	172/0	HIGGS+HIL	286/0	287/0	RHP GROUP	205/0	206/0
BURGESS		212/0		•	800/0			450/0 66/0
U-CPU COM		88/0 320/0		46/0	46/0	REED GRP.		340/0
CAMB INST	53/0	54/0	HOGG TST	188/0	188/0	REFUGE GR	433/0	435/0
CANNING W		206/0 178/0		85/0	81/0	REGALION RENISKAN	-	138/0 145/0
CAP.RADIO	160/0	161/0	u-Hughes Ibstk. Js e	77/0	78/0 146/0	RENOLD		,52/0 175/0
CARLESS C	93/4	96/0	ICE.F2.FO	283/0	283/0	RENTKIL.G ROBINSON	367/0	368/0
CARLTON C		650/0	IMRY INTL INCHCAPE		340/0 618/0	ROCKWARE ROTHSCHLD		77/0 152/0
CENTL ITY	444/0	443/0	INDPNOT	39/4	40/0	U-RLF-NOL	178/0	178/0
CHATER CN CHARTERHA	26/0	296/0 26/0		12/0 95/0	12/0 100/0	ROTORK		267/0 156/0
CHLORIDE	57/0 415/0	58/0 413/0	INT.S+C.G INVGDN.OS		133/0 167/0	RUBEROID RGBY.P.CE		133/0 233/0
CHAS.CHUR U-CI FER	106/0	109/0	INVSTR.C.	311/0	311/0	SAGA HOLS SALVESEN	. 173/0	
U-CLUFF	119/0	120/0	JNSH . MAYH .	263/0	265/0	SVLLE G.G	39/0	38/0
CLYDE PET COALIYE	-	106/0 343/0	KALON KENDY.BRK	228/0	39/0 232/0	SAVOY HTL SAVOY HY		10,00
COATES BR		335/0 53/0	KETSON KUNRT.BNS		69/0	SCAPA GRP SCOT.E. LT		212/0
COLLINS W	_	588/0	KWIKFIT H KWIKSAVE	174/0	173/0 303/0	SCOT.M.TS	151/0	150/0 332/0
CNTRL.SCR	44/0	44/0	KLEIN OS	103/0	104/0	SCT.IT.WT	63/0	63/0
COLOROLL COSTAIN G	269/0	225/0 272/0	LADBRKE W LDH.INT.G		269/0	SCOT . MORT		118/0 90/0
COURTS A		155/0 189/0	LAIRD GRP LAING(J)-		212/0 261/0	SCT MAT I		43/0 87/0
CRODA INT		193/0 116/0	LAING(J)-	259/0	261/0	SCT NAT W SCHO.ALL.	15/0	
CRYSTALAT DARES EST	147/0	148/0 29/0	LAMONT HD	228/D	315/0 230/0	SEC.T.SCO	96/0	94/0
DAVIS G	159/0	161/0	LURNCE.(W LEIGH INT	-	113/0 167/0	U-SELECTV SNR.ENG.G	54/0	54/0
DAVY CP DAWSON IN		134/0 212/0	LEX SERVC LILLEY-JF		289/0 41/0	SIEBE SIMON ENG		300/0
DELTA GP U-OEWEY W		267/0 97/0	LOGICA	256/0	255/0	SINGER+FR 600 GROUP		66/0
DRG PLC OIPLOKA	406/0	406/0 182/0	LDH+N°THR LDH+MCHST		239/0	SUS KTZ-U	371/0	
DOBSON PK	115/0	116/0	LDH+MET LDH INV T	148/0 30/0	145/0 30/0	SLOUGH ES	340/0	260/0 340/0
DOUGLAS R		230/0 168/0	LASMO OPU LDH.UTO. I	140/0	140/0	-HW HYIMS		309/0
DRAYTON J		715/0 405/0	LOYELL HD	217/0	218/0	SMIYHS IN	218/0	218/0
OUNHILL EAGLE TST		135/0 16/0	LYNTON P& LOU+BONAR	182/0	320/0 183/0	SPONG HLD	17/0	17/0
EAG TS RF	16/2	15/6	LOWE HOME		333/0	SPRING RA		131/0 168/0
U-EALING EDIN AMER	65/0 82/0		LWT HDGS H+G GROUP	833/D	265/0	STAKIS U-STHHOPE		81/0 139/0
EDIN IT U-ELDRGE	_	140/0 320/0	M.K.ELEC	685/0		STANLEY A STVLY.IHD	188/0	190/0
ELECTRA I	176/0	178/0	MACARTH G MCTHY+STN	437/0	305/0 435/0	STEETLY	325/0	325/0
ELECTROCK ELEC RENT	86/0	188/0 88/0	MCLN.GLNV MCKNIE.PL		515/0	STWRT.WRT STORNGUAR		
ELLIS EVA EMAP PLC	183/0	146/0 181/0	MNSFLD.BY MCALPINE	460/0	460/0 423/0	TYLR, MORO	61/0	61/0
ELLIS GOL EMPIRE ST	54/0	54/0 239/0	MARLEY	135/0	138/0	TELE. SOUT	334/0	333/0
ERSKIHE H	179/0	177/0	MATTHEWS	92/0	111/0 92/0	U-THD AVT TIE RACK	114/0	173/0 112/0
ETAM EUROTHERN	255/0	273/0 255/0	MEMEC (MEC MENZIES J	-	180/0 343/0	YI GROUP YIME PROD		284/0 156/0
EUROTH UT	235/0 14/0	234/0 14/0	MERCHT.TS U-MRRYDUN	133/0	134/0 325/0	TELEMETRI	33/0	33/0
EVERED HL	100/0	101/0	METALRAX	78/0	78/0	TELPH.REH TEMPL.B.I		208/0 196/0
FKI BABCK	113/0	114/0	MEYER INT U-MICROVT		348/0 31/0	TONKINS F		218/0 110/0
FARNELL E FED.HOUSN		157/0 178/0	MAI PLC MIOSUMNER		101/0	TRIMICOD G		33/0
FENNER JH FERGUSON		145/0 281/0	MIHET HDG	447/0	446/4	TRSPRTOE	216/0	215/0
U-FIELDS M	138/0	138/0	Monks It Horgan Gr	271/0	186/0 270/0	TRAVI5+AR TR. IND&GE		308/0
FINE ARTS FLEMING T	135/0	215/0 137/0	U-MRRIS W MOUNTLEIGH		-13/0 160/0	TR.PAC.IN TRICENTRO	32/4	33/0
FLEMING J F & C PAC		163/0 95/0	MRGH CRUC MRGTE MER		241/0	TR CTY LO	69/0	69/0
FINLAY J	- 85/0	~86/0	HOREAND+C"	465/0	765/0	TP PROP	106/0	107/0
FIRST NAT	234/0	233/0	WI " CHT IS W .	111/0	112/0	TRIMOCO EN	ئىرى 121/0	121/0
FST SCOT FITCH LOV	357/0 271/0	339/0 273/0	MONTEN 1	348/0	352/0 133/0	U-TSB CHA	140/0	141/0
FORCOL IT	91/0 230/0		MRRY.INC.	161/0	162/0	TURRIFF C	505/0	
FREEMANS	290/0	295/0	NRRY.SH.M	128/0	150/0 128/0	YYNDALL M ULSTER TV	149/0 91/0	90/0
FLMG.FE.I FLMG.AM.I		96/0	N.TOKYO I NEWARTHILL		123/0 060/0	UNDERWOOD	117/0	118/0
FLNG.MERC FLMG.OSEA	135/0 130/0		NMAN-TONK NMAN INO		171/0 47/0	UNITECH	778/0 196/0	196/0
F R GROUP	278/0	280/0	NEWS CORP	400/0		U.E.I. UTD.5CITE	340/0 202/0	
U-FLOYD O FRESHBAKE	29/0 93/0	28/0 93/0	NEWS INTL NORCROS	240/0 355/0	240/0 357/0	UTD.S+S G		63/0
U-FORD M GEEST PLC	84/0 223/0	85/0 223/0	NORMANS G NRFLK.CP.	38/4 27/4	38/0 28/0	VG. INSTAT	350/0 478/0	480/0
GEI INYL	117/0	118/0	NRFLK.CP.	32/4 310/0		VICKERS VKING RS.	157/0	156/0 51/0
GERRD.&NAT GVTT ORIE	200/0	201/0	N.EHG.IND	98/0	98/0	VIRGIN GP	102/0	102/0
GESTETHER GLYNWEO	169/0 451/0		NORTON OP	130/0 141/0		VPI GROUP MADDINGTON	278/0	
GVTT ATLT	103/0	105/0		243/0		WAGON HOGS W. GRHBHK		295/0 95/0
GVTT STRT GREYCOAT	320/0		OWNERS AB	83/0	84/0	WARBURGS	325/0	325/0
U-GODWN.C GRMPN.TV		116/0 46/0	OXFRD INS PAC.ASST.	242/0 96/0	243/0 96/0	WRD.WHT.GP WTSON+PHIL		
GRMP.TV.H	213/0	212/0	PRKFLD GR PEACHY PR	299/0 368/0		WATES CITY WATTS B+8	162/0 274/0	
GT PTLHO	288/0	288/0	PEHTLAND	117/0	113/0	U-WAYNE KR	44/0	44/0
HT.UNVL.S GRNHL.WTL	184/0	700/0 185/0	PHOEHIX	33/0	88/0 33/0	WELLMAN WESTLAND	39/0 75/0	39/0 76/0
GRN.KING& GUIHS.PEA	442/0 87/0	440/0 88/0	PICKWICK PLEASURAN	179/0 169/0		WCRS GROU	365/0 26/0	26/0
HTV GROUP	233/0	233/0 126/0	POLLY-PEC	283/0	285/0	WIDKEY	32/0 224/0	33/0
HAMBROS I	184/0	185/0	PURSCRN I	320/0 111/0	111/0	U-WHS.LET	48/4	49/0
HRRS.QWNS HRSN+CRSF	541/0	130/0 543/0	PREEDY A PRMR.C.O.	105/0 31/0	31/0	WLSH(C)HD	140/0 313/0	313/0
U-HWTHRN HEATH (CE		23/4 410/0		213/0 2/6		WIMPEY (G	237/0 346/0	
NNDRSN.GR	318/0	313/0	QUEENS M.	87/0	88/0	MOTZETEA	226/0	227/0
HPWTH. CRM	110/0		RAGLAN PR RAINE IND	22/0 81/0	22/0 81/0	U-WYKO GR		61/0
HEYWOOD W	949 F.S	247/0	:	131/0	232300	YALE&VALO	224/0	Sensore.
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	INCEX	LATEST		DREA-UTA			DEV-TD

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AUSTRALIA	253.7	257.6	257.8	421.7	263.2	
AUSTRIA	215.3	213.5	212.9	257.5	263.3	
BELGIUM	257.2	258_7	262.4	368.2	307.6	
CANADA	350.3	351.4	357.6	434.7	333.2	
DENMARK	338.2	338.3	340.5	393.3	364_8	
FRANCE	291.1	292.4	302.1	415.2	408.1	
GERMANY	155.0	158.2	162.7	241.9	259.8	
HONG KONG	1643.9	1632.8	1661.5	2801.3	1778.9	
ITALY	376.0	382.9	392.6	502.1	563.6	
JAPAN	1022.3	1022.3	1069.5	1266.4	945.0	
MEXICO	4329.9	3937.6	4523.8	1984.9	10131.6	
NETHERLNOS	216.1	215.2	224.6	308.5	257_1	
NORWAY	385.4	395.7	395.3	698.2	448_9	
SINGAPORE	468.5	472.2	478.3	789.B	511.3	
SPAIH	207.0	208.3	218.3	266.5	192.8	
SWEDEN	691.7	704.0	716.13	1007.7	814.8	
SWITZ	140.0	140.9	144.8	213.9	200.8	
u.K.	520.3	538.9	538.9	711.9	497.6	
U.S.A.	227.2	228.1	234.0	300.0	228.0	1
WORLD	402.8	406.4	412.8	485.4	356.8	
E.A.F.E.	746.3	755.2	763.3	850.0	614.9	
EUROPE	358.9	367.7	365.9	444.9	336.9	

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NAME	CPEN	CLOSE	GENRAD INC	9/3	9/3
A BSCH COM	32/0	32/0	GEO INTL	3/6	3/6
ATLANTIC R	69/6	69/0	GEORGI-PAC	34/5	34/7
AAR CORP	18/7	18/6	GERBR SCIE	17/4	17/2
AETNA LIFE		44/3	GILETT	29/7	29/5
ALASKA AIR	13/5	13/4	GLOBAL KAR	1/2	1/2
ALCO STAND	27/0 20/5	26/7 20/5	GOODRICH	10/4 40/0	10/5 40/1
AM CAP SEC	24/0	24/1	GOODYEAR	60/2	60/2
AMER CYANA		40/7	GOULD INC	11/0	10/6
AM FAMILY	13/7	14/0	GRACE WR	24/0	23/6
AM MOM PRO	71/4	70/4		56/4	56/4
AM STNDARD	37/2	37/0	GRAINGER GREYHOUND	25/1	25/1
AM STORES	49/2	49/1	GROLIER	9/4	9/3
AMER T T	26/7	26/6	GRUMMAN	17/6	17/6
AMOCO CP	68/6	68/5	GULF RES-C	11/2	11/2
	46/4	46/4	GULF-WESTN	72/2	72/0
AMPCO PITT	13/1	13/1	HALLIBURTO	25/4	25/6
AMR CORP	33/4	33/4	HALLWOOD	14/2	14/2
AMR GEN CO	30/6	30/5	HANNA MIN	19/1	19/2
	25/5	25/5	HARRIS CP	25/7	25/6
ANTHEM ELE	9/3	9/2	HARTMARX	20/0	20/1
APACHE CP	7/3	7/3	KECLA NIN	12/6	13/0
APACHE PET	3/3	3/3	HEILEMN BR	39/6	39/6
ARMCO INC	11/2	11/1	HEIN2 HJ	40/4	40/2
ASARCO INC	28/3	28/5	HEL CURTIS	25/2	25/4
ASHLHO OIL .	3B/4	38/2	HELM-PAYNE	19/3	19/2
ATLS CORP	32/2	32/4	HERCULES	46/0	45/6
AVERY IHT	21/2	21/2	HESSTON	0	3/7
AVNET INC	23/4	23/2	HEWL-PACK	58/0	37/1
AVON PROOS BELL ATLAN	25/2 64/2	25/0 64/2	HEXCEL CP	36/5 24/4	36/6
BELL CAH E	28/4	28/3	HILTN HTLS	69/7	69/6
BELL-HOW	59/2	59/3		92/6	92/5
BETH STEEL	17/6	17/5	HOMESTAKE	17/1	17/5
BEVERLY	7/0	7/0	HNDY-HARMN	16/2	16/2
BNK BOSTON	21/7	21/6	HOLIDAY C	25/4	25/1
BAK BSTN-A	48/2	48/4	HOME PED S	18/3	18/4
BNK N-YORK	26/3	26/2		21/0	20/6
BHK TR-NY	31/1	30/4	HONDA MOTR	103/4	103/2
BANKAMER	6/7	6/7	HONEYWELL	53/1	
BNKAN SPEC	6/4	6/5	HOUGHTN MI	24/5	24/3
BOEING	37/6	37/7	HOUSTON IN	29/3	29/3
BOISE CASC	69/2	69/2	HUGHES SUP	25/3	25/4
BORDEN	49/0	49/2		19/0	18/5
BORG-WARNR BOWATER	29/6	43/5 29/5	HUTTON EF	28/3 116/3	2B/3 116/0
BR TELECOH BRIGGS-STR	42/6 26/2	42/4 26/0	IC INDUSY ICN PHARMA	32/3 6/4	32/3 6/4
BRIST-MYER	42/0	42/0	ILL PUR CO	23/3	23/3
BURNDY CP	14/6	14/6	INCO LTD	21/3	21/4
	10/6	10/7	INGRSLL-RA	33/7	33/7
C 3 INC	11/1	11/1	INTL MINER J WALTER	47 <i>/</i> 7	48/1
CABOT CORP	32/3	32/2		59/5	59/5
CAESARS WO	19/5	19/7	JOHNSN-JNS	75/5	76/5
CAROLI FRE	20/2	20/2	K MART CP	29/6	29/6
CAS NAT GS	13/5	13/5	KAISER ALM	11/1	11/2
CAST-COOKE	17/4	17/4	KELLOGG	51/0	51/0
CATERPILLA CBI IND	60/0 20/2	60/1 20/2	KERR-MCGEE	.35/6	35/4
CBS	156/4	136/6	KEYSTONE KIDDE INC	16/2	16/4 63/0
CENTEL CP	36/0	36/0	KIMB-CLARK	49/4	49/5
CENTRO DAT	2/1	2/0	KLH R O AI	16/2	16/2 .
CHAMP INTL	34/0	34/2	KRAFT INC	47/0	46/6
CHAMP SPA	11/1	11/I	KROGER CP	24/6	24/6
CHARTER CO	3/5	3/6	LEAR PETRL	1/3	1/4
CHASE MANH	22/2	21/5	LEKMAN	10/7	11/0
CHEMED CP	32/0 23/1	32/1 22/7	LENNAR LILLY ELI	15/1 79/0	13/2
CHEVRON	39 <i>/</i> 7	39/0	LINCOLN NA	40/2	40/0
CHRYSLER	22/0	22/0	LITTON IND	71/6	71/6
CHUBB CORP	53/7	53/5		33/2	35/4
CHUR FR CH	6/4	6/5	LOCTITE CP	27/0	27/2
CIGNA CORP		44/5	LOCKS CORP	68/3	68/5
CIN HILACR	20/6	20/5	LOM-NETTLE	16/7	16/6
CIR CIT 5T	17/5	17/5	LONE STAR	21/1	21/2
CINCLE X	10/4	10/4	LOVES	-17/1	16/7
CLARK EQUI	24/6.	18/6; - 24/4.	MGMT ASS		40/0
CHIPBLL RES	28/2 1/4	27/7 1/4	MACMILLAN	8/7 54/6	8/7 54/6
CMPBLL SP	26/7	26/5,	MANHATTAN	9/4	9/4
CND PACIFC	15/5	15/5	MANOR CARE	12/0	12/1
COACHMEN COASTAL	7/0 24/4	7/1 24/5	MARRIOTT	23/3 29/2	23/5 29/1
COCA COLA	37/7	37/4	MASCO CORP HATSU ELEC	22/0 168/2	22/1 168/0
COLEMAN CO	3/5 31/6	3/3 31/4	HATTEL INC	6/7	6/6
COLGATE	37/5	37/6	MCA INCORP	34/5	34/4
COLT INDS	9/4	9/5		43/0	42/6
COLUMB GAS	39/4	39/2	MCDONNELL	58/6	58/5
COMM EDIS	27/3	27/4	MCGRAW-HIL	49/0	49/1
CONAGRA	25/0	24/3	MEAD	33/0	33/0
CONS ED-NY	41/7	41/5	MERCK - CO	156/2	133/7
CONTINENTA	38/0	37/6	MEREDITM	29/2	29/2
CONTL ILLN	*03	*02	MERRILL LY	23/0	22/7
CONTEL CP	28/1	27/7	MESA OFFSH MOSIL OIL	1/1 39/2	1/2 38/6
CONTR DATA COOPER T-R	21/4 29/6	21/4	NOHAWK DAT	0	51/4
COOPER COM	8/3	8/5	MONSANTO	82/0	82/0
CORHING GL	48/1	48/5	MORGAN JP	33/2	35/1
CRANE CRAY RES	21/7	21/6 69/5	MORT THIO MOTOROLA	49/4	40/6 49/2
			HDCV_NCI EN	1015	/ D /A

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FST NAY BC

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GOODYEAR	40/0 60/2	60/2	NUCOR CORP
COULD INC	11/0	10/6	OAK INDS
GRACE WR	24/0	23/6	OCCIDENTAL OCEAN DRIL
GRAINGER GREYHOUND	56/4 25/1	56/4 25/1	OGDEN CORP
GROLIER	9/4	9/3	OH ED CO
GRUMMAN	17/6 11/2	17/6 11/2	ONIO MATT OLIN CORP
GULF RES-C GULF-WESTN	72/2	72/0	OMNICARE
HALLIBURTO	25/4	25/6	ORION PICT PAINE WEB
HALLWOOD HANNA MIN	14/2 19/1	14/2 19/2	PAN AM W A
HARRIS CP	25/7	25/6	PANHAHDLE
HARTMARX HECLA NIN	20/0 12/6	20/1 13/0	PARK ELECT PARKER DRI
HEILEMN BR	39/6	39/6	PARKER HAN
HEIN2 HJ	40/4	40/2	PATRCK PET PAYLSS CSH
HEL CURTIS HELM-PAYNE	25/2 19/3	25/4 19/2	PULLMAN CO
HERCULES	46/0	45/6	PC IND8-96
HESSTON HEWL-PACK	0 58/0	3/7 37/1	PENN CEHTR PENNEY JC
HEXCEL CP	36/5	. 36/6	PENNZOIL
HILLENBRAD HILTN HTLS	24/4 69/7	24/4 69/6	PEOPLES EN
HITACHI	92/6	92/5	PERKIH-ELM
HOMESTAKE HNDY-HARMN	17/1 16/2	17/5 16/2	PFIZER PHELPS DOD
HOLIDAY C	25/4	25/1	PHILIP MOR
HOME DEPOT	18/3	18/4	PHILIPS PE
HOME FED S HONDA MOTR	21/0 103/4	20/6 103/2	PILLSBRUY PINNACLE W
HONEYWELL	53/1	33/1	PITN-BOWES
HOUGHTN MI HOUSTON IN	24/5 29/3	24/3 29/3	PITTSON POLAROIO
HUGKES SUP	25/3	25/4	PORTLNO GE
HUMANA INC	19/0	18/5	PRIME COMP
HUTTON EF	28/3 116/3	2B/3 116/0	PRIME INNS PRIMERICA
IC INDUSY	32/3	32/3	PROCTER GM
ICN PHARMA ILL PUR CO	6/4 23/3	6/4. 23/3	PUEBLO INT PUGET SP-L
INCO LTD	21/3	21/4	PULTE HOME
INGRSLL-RA INTL MINER	33/7 47/7	33/7 48/1	QUAKER CAT
J WALTER	59/5	59/5	QUAKER COR QUESTAR
JOHNSN-JNS	75/5	76/5	RAMADA INN
K MART CP KAISER ALM	29/6 11/1	29/6 11/2	RANGER OIL
KELLOGG	51/0	51/0	RAYCHEM
KERR-MCGEE KEYSTONE	35/6	35/4 16/4	RAYMARK
KIDDE INC	16/2	63/0	RAYTHEON REGAL INTL
KIMB-CLARK	49/4	49/5	REYNOLO ME
KLH R O AI KRAFT INC	16/2 47/0	16/2 . 46/6	RJR WABISC ROCHES G-E
KROGER CP	24/6	24/6	ROCKAWAY C
LEAR PETRL Lekman	1/3 10/7	1/4 11/0	ROCKWELL
LENNAR	15/1	13/2	ROHR INDS .
LILLY ELI	79/0	78/3	ROLLINS IN
LINCOLN NA	40/2 71/6	40/0 71/6	ROPER CORP
LOCKHEED	33/2	35/4	ROWAN COMP
LOCTITE CP LOCKS CORP	27/0 68/3	27/2 68/5	ROYL DUTCH
LOM-NETTLE	16/7	16/6	RYDER SYST RYLAND GRP
LONE STAR	21/1	21/2	S DIEG G-E
MGMT ASS ON:	17/1 -2/3	16/7	SABINE SALEMON: 05
. H MARIETTA"	40/1	-,40/0 ₋₀	SARA LEE
MACMILLAN	8/7 54/6	8/7 54/6	SCHLUMBERG
MANHATTAN	9/4	9/4	SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS
MANOR CARE	12/0	12/1	SE BANK CO
MARRIOTT	23/3 29/2	23/5 29/1	SEAGRAM CO
MASCO CORP	22/0	22/1	SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR
HATSU ELEC	168/2	168/0	SEARS ROE
HATTEL INC MCA INCORP	6/7 34/5	6/6 34/4	
NCDONALDS	43/0	42/6	***************************************
MCDONNELL MCGRAW-HIL	58/6 49/0	58/5 49/1	Dow
HEAD	33/0	33/0	1
MERCK - CO	156/2	133/7	
MEREDITM MERRILL LY	29/2 23/0	29/2 22/7	I ND TRANS
MESA OFFSH	1/1	1/2	UTILS
MOBIL OIL	39/2 0	38/6 51/4	STOCKS NYSE CO
MONSANTO	82/0	82/0	S-P CON
MORGAN JP	33/2	35/1	NYSE IN
MORT THIO MOTOROLA	40/4 49/4	40/6 49/2	NASD CO
HRSH-NCLEN	48/0	48/0	NASD BA
MURPHY OIL NAT DISTIL	23/1 71/5	23/1 71/6	NASD FI
NAVSTAR	4/1	4/1	S-P 100
NCR CORP	63/2	63/2	<u></u>
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NTL	5/9	3/0	112 0014			SMITH INT	6/4	
I-PAC	34/5	34/7	NL INDS	5/2 12/2	5/2 12/1	SHITHK SEC	50/0	49/2 49/2
SCIE	17/4	17/2	NOBLE AFF	6/6	6/7	SONY CP	37/2	37/2
T	29/7	29/5	NORD RESOU	25/6	25/3	SOURCE CAP	33/0	33/0
L KAR	1/2	1/2	NORTHROP	46/2	46/3	SOUTHERN	22/3	55/5
N KUG	10/4	10/5	NOVO IND	22/2	32/2	SPERRY CP	14/6	16 14
ICH	40/0	40/1	NUCOR CORP	39/3	39/0	SQUARE 0	52/6	52/3
EAR	60/2	60/2 10/6	OAK INDS	1,00	1,00	SQUIBB	59/6	59/7
INC	11/0 24/0	23/6	OCCIDENTAL	24/1	24/0	STALEY AE	· <u>-</u>	
WR GER	56/4	56/4	DCEAN DRIL	16/4	16/4	STERL DRUG	53/0	54/6
OUND	25/1	25/1	OGDEN CORP	28/1	28/4	SUN CO INC	51/5	5175
ER	9/4	9/3	OH ED CO	19/7	19/7	SUNDSTRAND	43/2	43/D
AN	17/6	17/6	TTAK OIHO	12/6	12/6	SUNSHINE N	4/0_	_4/D_
RES-C	11/2	11/2	OLIN CORP	41/6	41/6	SUPER VAL	17/3	17/2
WESTN	72/2	72/0	OMNICARE	6/0	6/0 10/5	SH GAS	13/4	13/5
BURTO	25/4	25/6	ORION PICT	10/5 14/5	14/5	SIN SELL	- 33/5	20/2
000	14/2	14/2	PAINE WEB	2/7	2/7	TANDY CORP	33/1	33/2
MIN	19/1	19/2	PANHAHDLE	20/4	20/3	TECO ENERG	22/4	22/6.
S CP Varx	25/7 20/0	25/6 20/1	PARK ELECT	15/6	15/6	TEKTRONIX	23/7	26.m
NIN	12/6	13/0	PARKER DRI	2/6	2/3	TELEDYNE	304/2	303/2
AN BR	39/6	39/6	PARKER HAN	38/1	38/2	TELEX CORP	55/6	. 55/5
2 HJ	40/4	40/2	PATRCK PET	3/1	3/0	TERADYNE	16/2	16/2
URTIS	25/2	25/4	PAYLSS CSH	11/4	11/4	TESORO PET	1175	11/2
PAYNE	19/3	19/2	PULLMAN CO	4/6 0	4/6 90/4	TEX AMER B	3/2	3/3
ILES	46/0	45/6	PC IND8-96 PENN CEHTR	40/7	41/0	TEXACO INC	21/0	21/0
PACK	0 58/0	3/7 37/1	PENNEY JC	44/0	44/1	TEXAS IND	30/6	37/2 31/0
L CP	36/5	36/6	PENNZOIL	70/5	70/6	TEXAS INST	*55/6	55/1
NBRND	24/4	24/4	PEOPLES EN	15/1	15/3	TEXTRON	21/1	21/1
HTLS	69/7	69/6	PEPS1CO	32/3	32/1	TIDEWATER	4/6	4/7
HI	92/6	92/5	PERKIH-ELM	23/6	23/4	YIGER INT	. 11/1	. 1 1/0
TAKE	17/1	17/5	PF12ER	48/7	48/4	I I FILL E PORTON		80/1
HARMN	16/2	16/2 25/1	PHELPS DOD	43/4 B7/3	43/1 87/0	TIMES MIRR TIMKEN	71/4 57/0	71/6
AY C DEPOT	25/4 18/3	25/1 18/4	PHILIP MOR	13/3	13/1	TORCHMARK .		56/6 24/0
FED S	21/0	20/6	PILLSBRUY	33/1	33/1	YOSCO CORP	1/5	
MOTR	103/4	103/2	PINNACLE W	27/3	27/5	YOYS R US	30/6	
WELL	53/1	33/1	PITN-BOWES	37/3	37/6	TRANSAMER	29/0	. 29/1
TN MI	24/5	24/3	PITTSON	10/1	10/2	TRANSCO EN	22/5	22/4
ON IN	29/3	29/3	POLARO10	24/2	24/0	TRANSCO EX	3/4	_5/1.
S SUP	25/3	25/4	PORTLNO GE	20/7	21/1	YRAVELLERS.	34/5	34/6.
A INC	19/0 28/3	18/5 28/3	PRIME COMP	14/7 30/2	14/7 30/0	TRINITY IN	26/3 14/3	26/3
M LI	116/3	116/0	PRIMERICA	24/3	24/1	THA	19/6	14/6
DUSY	32/3	32/3	PROCTER GM	84/4	84/2	U PACIFIC	53/3	19/6 53/4
HARMA	6/4	6/4.	PLIEBLO INT	23/1	23/1	UTD BRAND	44/2	44/4
WR CO	23/3	23/3	PUGET SP-L	19/0	19/0	UTD TECH .	33/0	32/6
LTD	21/3	21/4	PULTE HOME	8/2	8/2	UNILEVER	56/5	56/4
LL-RA	33/7	33/7	QUAKER OAT	42/3	42/1	UNION CAMP	35/3	35/2.
MINER TER	47/7 59/5	48/1 59/5	QUAKER COR	14/6	15/0	UNION CARB	21/4 -	
N-JNS	75/5	76/5	QUESTAR	32/1	32/0	US SHOE	13/6	13/5
T CP	29/6	29/6	RAMADA INN	6/0	6/0	USX CORP US WEST	30/7 50/1	30/5
R ALM	11/1	11/2	RANGER OIL	4/2	4/3	USAIR GRP	32/1	31/6:
GG	51/0	51/0	RAYCHEM	5/7 42/0	3/7 42/0	VALERO EN	4/6	. 4/6
MCGEE	35/6	35/4	RAYMARK	7/4	7/3	VALLEY IND	1/6	
ONE	16/2	16/4	RAYTHEON	66/3	66/4	VARCO INTL	.4/0	4/0
INC	0	63/0	REGAL INTL	, 13	, 13	VARIAN ASS	24/4	24/4
CLARK	49/4	49/5	REYNOLO ME	47/3	47/1	W UNION	1/6	
IAO	16/2	16/2 .	RJR WABISC	43/3	45/1	W PNT PEPP		23/4
INC R CP	47/0 24/6	46/6 24/6	ROCHES G-E	14/4	14/4	WAINOC OIL	5/0	4/7
PETRL	1/3	1/4	ROCKAWAY C	6/6	6/6	WAL MART	25/6 31/1	25/6
M	10/7	11/0	ROCKWELL ROHR INDS .	18/2		WALGREEN WARNER COM	27/6	31/0 27/6
R	15/1	13/2	ROLLINS EN		15/7 17/4	WARNER LAM		67/2
ELI	79/0	78/3	ROLLINS IN	15/1	15/1		36/5	36/5
LN NA	40/2	40/0	ROPER CORP	15/0		WASH GAS L	22/6	22/6
M IND	71/6	71/6	RORER GRP		35/4	WENDY INTL	6/0	6/0
EED	33/2	35/4	ROWAN COMP	4/7	4/7	WEST CO	16/1	
TE CP CORP	27/0	27/2	ROYL DUTCH	110/6	110/6	WESTINGHSE	49/3	49/3
ETTLE	68/3 16/7	68/5 16/6	RYDER SYST	26/2		WILLIAMS C		22/1
STAR	21/1	21/2	RYLAND GRP	13/4	13/3	WILLIAMS E WINNEBAGO	4/2 8/5	A/3 8/4
	-17/1	16/7	S DIEG G-E	29/6	29/5	WINN-DIXIE	4174	
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TETTA	40/1	- 40/0 ru	SARA LEE	34/4	34/2	WORLDCORP	674	1.644
H INC	8/7	8/7	SCHLUMBERG	29/2		WRIGLEY	66/4	
LLAN	54/6	54/6	SCOTT PPR	69/0		WYLE LABS	12/1	-11/1
TTAN	9/4	9/4	SCOTTYS	12/5	. 12/6	XEROX CP	57/6	57/3
HANOV	12/0	12/1	SE BANK CO	18/4	18/6	XTRA INC	21/7	
OTT	23/3 29/2	23/5 29/1	SEAGRAM CO		54/6	ZAPATA	2/6	2/6
CORP	22/0	22/1	SEAGULL EN	0 75 ((16/3	ZAYRE CORP		14/4
ELEC	168/2	168/0	SEALED AIR SEARS ROE		35/2 33/4	ZENITH EL ZERO	14/7 15/2	.14/7 15/3
LINC	6/7	6/6		٥/دد	33/4	LLRU	12/2	.5,5
NCORP	34/5	34/4						
ALDS	43/0	42/6	***************************************					
NELL	58/6	58/5	DOW	JOH	es t	lus Indi	CES.	(C)
M-HIL	49/0	49/1	200700000000000000000000000000000000000				900000000000000000000000000000000000000	- X-3
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LL LY	23/0	22/7	TRANS		10 + 22 71 + 5		748.00	5 T
OFFSH	1/1	1/2	UTILS		so + o		173.2	5
OIL	39/2	38/6	STOCKS		57 + 6		710.4	
K OAT	0	51/4	NYSE CO		58.25 +	1.41		T.
NTO	82/0	82/0	S-P CON	POSITE	247.41	+ 2.82		
N JP	33/2	35/1	NYSE IN		67.28 +			1
THIO DLA	40/4 49/4	40/6	AMEX IN			+ 1.82		-]
-LA	47/4	49/2	NASD CO	rsr 52	28.36 +	2.03	6.5	-

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SOU CA	LIF 30	1/2	+	1/4	LORIMAR TE	10	5/B	+	3/4 .	•
CITICO	RP 19	1/8	+	3/8	YORE SHOP		1/4		.1/8	
CONT I	LL 2	1/2	+	1/8	WANG LAB B	11	3/8	٠.	UNCN	
GEN ELI	EC 45		+	3/4	OOME PETE		11/16	+	1/16	
PHILLI	PS P 13	3/4	+	1/2	ASTROYECH		1/4		UNCH	
HAVIST	AR 4	1/4		UNCH	TEXAS AIR	11	3/8	+.	3/4	
COMPUT	VISN 14	1/8	+	1/8	OAMSON DIL		1/8	·• :	1/16	
EXXON	38	3/4	+	3/8	FIRST AUS	7	1/2	+	1/8 .	
AMER E	KPR 22	1/2	+	1/4	TELESPHERE		1/4	+	1/2	
BEVERL	YEN 7	1/8	+	1/8	TIE	3	.,	-	UNCH	-
NYSE LA	ARGEST PE	R CENT	CNAN	GE	AMEX LARGE	ST P	ER CEN	T CH	ANGE	•
MEXICO	FO 4	1/4	+	1/2	T E C INC	5	1/8	+ 1	3/B	
COMP F	ACT 15	1/4	+ 1	1/2	GEMCO NATL		5/8	+	1/2	
COMMON	MTG 4		+	3/8	TUBOS OACE		1/2	+	5/8	
CATALYS	8 T2	5/8	- 1	3/8	HAMPTON HL		1/3		3/8	
EMERSON	I.CP 2	3/8	-	1/4	PICO PROD	_	5/8	-	3/8	
HYSE VO	DLUME	71,	,277_	7 0 1	AMEX VOLUM			86,8	00	
STOCKS	UP	834			STOCKS UP		258			
STOCKS	DOLD!	377	,		STOCKS DOWN	_	256			

Wall Street Market Report

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 Wall Street stocks were higher at midday although volume was light on the gain and Blue Chips were off their highs. Brokers related buying to a firming in the dollar following concerted support from several central banks. including the Federal Reserve

The Dow 30 index was up 22 at 1949 after reaching 1954. Gainers led declining issues by over two-to-one

Merck gained 1-3/4 to 157. The company said its Sharp and Dohme division recieved FDA approvator a new medication for treating high blood pressure. Dyncorp gained 1-1/2 to 16-7/8. It received a fakeover offer worth 23-1/4 a share.

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International Bond Highlights

NEW YORK: IBM Credit Corp. a unit of International Business Machines Corp. said it will redeem on February 1, 1988, all ol its outstanding 300 mln dirs of extendible Eurobonds of

Bahrain - Saudi Arabia will issue government bonds to help finance development expenditure, King Fahd said in his 1988 budget address.

Washington - Easlman Kodak Co filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a proposed shelf offering of up to 1.5 billion dirs of debi securities on terms to be determined at the time of the sale.

Interbank Rates

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AHS	10-1/4 10-3/4 4-9/16 4-11/16 4-0625 1250	11-1/4 11-3/4 4-9/16 4-11/16 3-9375 4-0000	11-1/4 11-3/4 4-5/8 4-3/4 UNO

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Interest Rates

FOLLOWING are the average
KD interest rates of local inter-
bank transactions as reported by
participants to Central Bank of Kuwait on yesterday:
Kuwait on yesterday:

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	PR_CLOSE	OPEN	CLOSE	GNFC	30.50	30.50	30.25	MODIALKALI			
ACC .	155	160	156.50	GRAYON 120				NARHDACHNT			
AHMDADV				GSFC	87	89	88	DRKAY .	23.50	24	24
AHMDADV40				GUJPETRO	23.50			PREMAUTO	25	25	25
ANDRRA CEI		11.25	11.50	GWALIORON	95	95.50	96	RAYMOND CO			
ANDHRA VL	-			HINDALCO	114.50	114	115	RAYMONWOOL	88	87.50	88.50
TUA LALAE		4625	4475	NYD LAMPS				RELIANCE	108	108	113
BAR RAYON		152.50		IND ORG	24	24.50	25	SPIC	28.50	29.25	29.50
BOH DYING	97.50	102	98.50	LNDRAYON	53	53	52	STD MILLS	205	210	205
BOMBAY ST		S		INDROL	182.50	187_50	190	STOMEDICAL			
BSE INDEX			435.70	1TC	41	41	39	STEELTUBE			
CENTURYSPI		655	662.50	ITC CD				TATA PUR	190	185	187.50
COLGATE			195	JK 120 .				TATACNEM	67	66.50	67
DEEPAKFER		32	33	HTHYZYL	60.50	60	60.50	TATACIL	83	82	82
DHARCEMENT				L AND T	78	79	79	TELCO	370	370	365
FICOM ORG				MAGNAHARD				UDAIPHOSPN			
GARWRPOLY	78.50	78	79	Hahi ndra	53.50	53	53	VOLTAS	305		
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STOCK	LAST	PR-CLSE
AEG	190.2	187_0
ALLIANZ VR	1144_0	1148.0
BADENWERK	179.5	179.8
BASF .	255,5	252,0
BAYER	263.8	262.2
BATER HYP	333.0	355-0
BAYER VER	316.0	316.0
BBC	280.5	280.0
BNF	322.0	319.0
BMW	447.0	451,0
CHEMIE-VER	0	120.0
COMMERZBK	214.0	213.0
CONTI GUMM	205.2	200.2
DAIMÉR BEN	575.0	5 76. 0
DEUTSC BNK	388.0	386.5
DLW	297.0	299.0
DRESDNER B	232.0	223.5
DT BABCOCK	153.Q	156.0
FAZ INDEX	Gr	420.62
GOLDSCHMID"	230°. u	230.0
CUTEHOFF"		•
HARPÉNER	370.0	368.0
HOECHST AG	250.0	250.5
HOESCN	90.1	90.5
HORTEN	164.0	156.0
HUSSEL NLD	440.0	433.0
KALI SALZ	122.0	120.0
KARSTADT	427.0 417.2	429.0
KAUFHOF KLOECK N		417.0
KLOECK W	81.0	83.1
LINDE	522.0	79.1 · 503.0
LUFTHANSA	135.5	130.0
MAN	139.0	139.3
MANNESMAN	101.1	103.5
MERCEDES	436.0	434-0
METALLGES	211.0	213.0
NIXDORF	555.5	560.8
NORSK NYD	36.30	35.50
PHILLIP KON	617.5	620.0

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235.0 RHEINMETAL 241.0 SALAMANDER 275.0 275.0 339_5 SCHERING 353.0 283.5 270.0 359.0 -356.8 STEMENS THYSSEN 104.5 102.0 220.0 261.6 220.0 VARTA 260.1

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١.	OTOHON ILA	285	285	CUINNESS			LION CORP		
	ALEXANDRA			GULA			M UTD IND M UTD MFG M'SNITA	140	140
	AMAL IND			HKTIN	72	72	M UID MFG	67	65
	AMB HLDGS			N L IND.	118	115	MISNITA	480	480
	AMCOL			M IAI PAN	22	22	M.MVIV	O.J	au
		_	-	HARIMAU	82	83	HAGNUM		202
	BATA			HAW PAR	280	273	MALEX IND	380	
	CARLSBERG			HEXZA	92	92	MARCOPOLO NCB NLDGS	75	73
	CCH	300		NIND HOTL	34	34	MCB NLDGS MENANG	75	75
	CS NLDGS			NIL H'SIA	560	560	MENANG	43	43
- 1	DKH	460	460	NTL NEGAR	376	376	METAL BOX	332	
1	OK 140 JAJU	76	75		74.5	74	MT PLEAS.		25
,	DUTA CON			HTL ROYAL		115			
	ESSO ORD	322	722	HUME IND	156	156	MULTIPURP	39.5 3	8.5
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•	EU YAN S. EVERPEACE	133	173	HWA HONG INT WOOD INTRACO			MACON BHD	160	160
				INTRACO	196	197	NATL IRON	462	458
	FACB	60	60	ISETAN .	450	450	OUE P.M.C	280	270 .
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	FED FLOUR		560	K L IND	31_5		SAN NLDGS		
	FIMA BHD	220	220	JOHAN HOG K G HLDGS K L IND KE SANG	120		SANYO	204	204
0	KENT	60.5	60.5	KE SANG KECK SENG	168		SATERAS	36	35
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Singapore Stock Market Report

SINGAPORE STOCKS CLOSE MODERATELY HIGHER SINGAPORE, DEC 30 - SHARE PRICES CLOSED MODERATELY NIGHER BUT OFF THE DAY'S PEAK IN FAIRLY QUIET TRADING DESPITE THE OVERNIGHT FALL ON WALL STREET, BROKERS SAID.

HUNTING UNTIL LATE IN THE AFTERNOON, WHEN PROFIT-TAKERS AND INSTITUTIONAL SELLERS APPEARED TO PARE THE GAINS SLIGHTLY, THE FIRMER TREND NELPED THE STRAITS TIMES INDUSTRIAL INDEX

THE MARKET OPENED HIGHER AND CONTINUED TO RISE ON BARGAIN

CLIMB 12.66 POINTS TO 823.58 FROM TUESDAY'S CLOSE OF 810.92 AND THE TURNOVER ROSE TO 28.6 MLN SHARES FROM 18.7 MLN.

policy.

Despite its slide

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter):

When, as this week, India wants

phosphate from Jordan, Bul-

garia needs an extra 100,000 Ion-

nes of sugar or Japan buys oil

from Iran, they all pay with

Soviet banks make foreign

loans in dollars. African black

market shoppers spend them.

The wealth of people from Kyolo

to Kinshasa depends on the

doing business will probably

continue, at least for some time.

even though the dollar has

halved in value against other

leading currencies since 1985

because of America's economic

It his historic lows of 1.5865

West German marks and 122.75

Japanese yen this week. Bul, said

Evelyn Brodie, an economist at

merchani bankers Morgan

Grenfell and Co in London:

"We're learning to live with it."

global economy, the so-called

reserve currency in which,

ultimately, the price of just about

constrains a goveroment, as

Britain found out when sterling

filled such a role. It means, as the

United States is discovering now.

everything is fixed.

The dollar is a keystone of the

Economists say this way of

dollars.

dollar's worth.

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l	Į	OPNG	CLSG	JOR NATIONAL BANK
ĺ	AL HIMME MINERALS	0.79	0.79	JOR PAPER CARDBRDG
l	AL-NISER EXCHANGE	0.89	0.90	JOR PHOSPNATE MINS
i	ALA-ADDIN COMPANY	1.16		JOR PIPES MANUFACT
1	ARAB ALUMINUM IND.		1.83	JOR PRESS/PUBLISH.
l		121.7		
1	ARAB CNEHICAL DIER		5.19	JOR ROCK MOOL IND.
i	ARAB FINANCE CORP.			JOR SECURIT, CORP
l	ARAB INSURANCE	0.96	1.02	JOR TIMBER PROCES.
l	ARAB INT.INV/TRAD.			JOR WOOD INDUSTRY
ı	ARAS INT.UNION INS		0.92	JOR WORSTED HILL
ŀ	ARAB INTER HOTELS		0.58	JOR. PETROLIUM REF
ı	ARAB JOR/INVST/BK		2.20	JOR. FRENCH INS.
	ARAB PAPER CON/TRD		0.25	JOR_INV.FIN.CORP.
	ARAB PHARMA MANE.	2,15	2.14	JORDAN BREWERY
. !	ARAB PHARMA/CHEM		0.75	JORDAN DAIRY
ŧ	ARABIAN SEAS INS.		1.65	JORDAN GULF BANK
П	BANK OF JORDAN			JORDAN GULF INS.
ľ	BELGIUM INSURANCE		0.95	JORDAN LINSURANCE
1	CAIRO AMMAN BANK			JORDAN ISLAMIC BNK
ı				JORDAN KUMAIT BANK
ı	DAR AL SHAAB PRESS		0.29	JORDAN TANNING
١	DAR ALDAMA DV/INV.			LIVESTOCK/POULTRY
ł	DARCO/INVEST/HOUS.			HAS INDUSTRIES
]	DEVELOP/INVST/FAS.		0.79	MIDDLE EAST HOTEL
ļ	FINANCE/CREDIT/COR		0.60	NIDDLE EAST INS.
ı	GENERAL INSURANCE GENERAL INVESTMENT		2.63	MINERALS RESEARCH
ł	GENERAL MINNING.	1.47	1.50	NAT.FIN.INVEST CO
1				NAT/CABEL/WIRE/MF
ł	HOLY LAND INS. LND./MATCH JENCO	1.23		NATIONAL ANLIA INS
ı	INDSTRL DEVLPT BAK		0.70	NATIONAL INDUSTRY
1	INDSTRL DEVLPT BAK INDSTRL/COMM/AGR.			NATIONAL PORTFOLIO
ı	INDSIRL/COMM/AUK.	1.40	1.40	NATIONAL STEEL

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SHIPS DISCHARGING AT SHUWAIKH PORT AS ON 30.12.87

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

B. No		Agent	Tel. No
2	Soarer Diana	ISA	2441860
2	Safeer	Aigh Barber	4843988
4	Shezan	Algh, Barber	4843988
9	Tug Abu Samir - Barge Maryam	GulfStar	4845501
FHI	Osprey	Al Quiub	4747815
15	Hual Trapper	A. Bahar	2459891
16	Acacia Tree	Al Qutub	4747815
17	Serifos	ISA	2441860
SHIPS	EXPECTED AT SHUV	VAIKH PORT	
ETA	Ships Name	Agent	Tal. No
30/12	Zheng Yang	M Bahar	2459891
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KD deposits soft in dull market

THE Kuwaiti dinar inter-bank deposit market remained awash with liquidity yesterday but trading activity ground to a virtual

Overnight funds were offered as low as a nominal one per cent but there were no takers, dealers

"There was an attempt to get the market moving today, hus traders are preoccupied with paper work for the year end," one trader said.

Rate Nominal quotes for one-

month rates were a little changed 3 1/2, three per cent, while threemonths held at 4 1/2, four and six-months at 5 3/4, 1/4 per cent.

The Central Bank set its dinar exchange rate at a firmer 0.27053/87 to the dollar compared with 0.27252/86 on Tues-

Commercial banks quoted the spot dinar at 0.27105/15. deposit market was steady yesterday as traders awaited the kin-

gdom's 1988 budget. Traders said another year of deficit spending was widely forecast, although 1987's budget shortfall may turn out less than the projected 52.7 billion riyals (14 hillion) because of higher than expected oil revenues and government underspending.

Indication Interbank traders will be walching most closely to see if the kingdom gives any indication it will borrow from the domestic market to help finance the budget deficit and relieve pressure on its foreign reserves of about \$70

Dollar a keystone of global economy organisation's reference price

Once a product moves across a border anywhere in the world, the value of the dollar affects the income its maker earns and the price its buyer pays.
Goods or services only change

that other countries demand,

and get, a say in its monetary

bands when both buyer and seller agree on their worth. And that is made a lot easier when they have a common measure of that worth.

In Beirut, youngsters wear T-shirts saying: "I love you, dollar.

Their parents, worried that Lebanon's soaring inflation will continue to eal away the value of their earnings in Lebanese pounds, race to change their paycheques into dollars. Later, they buy their own currency with the

"My theory on changing my salary into dollars has never let me down," said Anwar Rachid, 32 an engineer.

The Soviet Union, oil analysts say, is keenly aware of the dollar price of oil when it arranges a sale of its own crude to its East bloc

It is a matter of convenience. Swiss bankers sell bars of gold convention and faith -- and; bullion for dollars, not Swiss Brodie explained, because francs. Mexico pays off its "nobody else really wants their currency to do the job." creditors in dollars. Having a reserve currency

It may be difficult to make the actual exchange, but there are 5.53 Albanian leks to the dollar. Meanwhile, the values of most of Latin American currencies,

along with Canada's dollar and several Asian currencies, are linked elosely to the dollar. Sudanese cotton is bought and sold in the British port of Liverpool in dollars. Indonesians sell rubber in Jakarta in dollars. Futures contracts in spruce, pine and fir

lumber from Canada's timberproducing regions trade in Montreal in dollars. So in other markets do oil, wheat, sugar and metals from aluminium to zinc. Slide Nobody waots the dollar to

slide any more -- or, at least, nobody says they want it to. If holders of dollars "suddenly

decided en masse that the dollar was junk, oormal economic life would collapse," said the Ecooomist, a British weekly, in a recent editorial. "No doubt it would eventually revive, with a payments system based on the yen, or gold, or cowrie shells; but Ibe economie equivalent of nuclear war is worth trying to

avoid." It strains the world's trading and financial system when you cannot count on the marker. economic analysts say.

Iranian Oil Minister Gholamreza Aqazadeh says a falling dollar has pinched the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

Goods He said Opec's Economic Commission Board found that because of the dollar's slide, the goods that producers can buy with their \$18 barrels of oil - the

are now worth \$2.18 less than they were when the price was set a

year ago. Wesi Germany earmaker Daimler-Benz AG cancelled four additional Salurday work shifts before Christmas because of the weakening dollar, which euts its sales in the US market.

When the dollar slips against the Deutschmark, firms like Daimler-Benz must push up the dollar prices of their cars or get fewer marks for each sale.

Either way, a weak dollar is bad for husiness and could be bad news for workers throughout Europe and Asia, which is why European and Asian leaders want an end to the dollar's slide. The question is, whether American does as well.

Stability "The United States wants to see stability in the dollar," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said earlier this week. "We feel strongly that any further decline or excessive fluctuation

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could be counterproductive." But currency dealers were not convinced. A US presidential election is due in 1988. Higher US interest rates could be seen needed -- 10 make dollar assets more attractive and get

more foreign investors to buy them — if the dollar's fall is to be arrested.

But higher interest rates would crimp an already slowing US economy, and no politician wants that.

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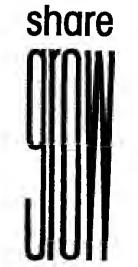
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Gold softens

Central banks steady dollar

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): The dollar steadied tuday to trade just above record lows after the US, Japanese and European central banks all intervened to prop it up.

Trading was thin, and few investors or speculators were willing to either buy or sell dnllars heavily in the year-end holiday season.

Nor were they eager to do much in stock markets, which generally firmed. Wall Street shares rose about 1.2 per cent with the Dow Jones industrial average up as much as 22.71 points in early trading tn a morning high of 1.949.6. Slowed

The dollar remained below 1.60 West German marks and 124 yen, just above the record lows of 1.5865 marks and 122.75 yen touched earlier this week. even after the central banks of the United States, Japan, West Germany, Switzerland and Italy started buying it up.

They just slowed people down temporarily for the rest of

the day and rest of the year." a London currency dealer said.

But dealers said the trading sinwdown for the end of the year probably did not signal a return of calm to financial markets.

"The market is still targetting a lower dollar, but not today, the treasurer of a major US bank in Frankfurt said.

Despite the way the Federal Reserve joined in the concerted central bank intervention today. dealers wondered how vigorously the United States would be ready to prop the dollar in 1988, a presidential election

Rates

Washington was seen as likely to be reluctant to raise interest rates - "even if this means letting the dollar take the strain for a while yet," as one bank economist put it.

Higher interest rates would lure investors to buy dollar assets and so strengthen the dollar, but would add to the dangers of recession posed by the October

A weaker dollar could bite into European and Japanese companies' export earnings — bad news for investors in their shares and for those stock markets.

World stock markets today wound down to year-end and trading was thin. Tokyo has been closed since Monday and is not due to reopen until next Monday. It was the final day of 1987 trading in West Germany, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Spain. All major markets will be closed on Friday.

"Prices on the last trading day are always very cosmetic," said a Frankfurt broker. The 60-share Commerzbank index rose 14 points, or 1.1 percent, to 1,299.7.

Sell-off

London sbares rallied after a sharp sell-off yesterday, with the FTSE 100-share index up as much as 29.9 points, or 1.7 per cent, to a high of 1,760.2. London shares fell 3.4 per cent yesterday, the first trading day after Christmas, with confidence shaken by the dollar's steep falls.

Zurich shares rose, with the All-Sbare Swiss index up 7.4 points to 7769.3 — which is 308.4 points below the end-of-1986 level. Belgian shares were mixed, Milan's MIB index rose 0.74 per cent while Nnrwegian and Swedish shares firmed.

The Paris bourse indicator eased 0.46 per cent.

London brokers cited a somewhat steadier dollar and bargain bunting for today's rally in Lnndon Stocks. But they said the big test would come next Monday after the New Year break.

The price of an ounce of gold was fixed in the London market this afternoon at \$484.10 an ounce, down \$2.65 from yesterday's London close.

The pound sterling was worth \$1.8557 at 1200 GMT, down from 1.8585 last night. News that leading indicators of the performance of the US economy fell 1.7 per cent in November had little impact on dollar dealing or

What the dollar needs: some peace and quiet

NEW YORK, Dec. 30: Milton Friedman, the Nobel laureate from the Hoover Institution, bas a theory about what has happened to the US dollar. In 1985, he says, the dollar started to decline because foreigners were no longer buying dollar investments at a pace that would sup-port the dollar's price. They had adjusted their portfolios, and their need for dollars fell, according to the Wall Street Journal.

"In 1987", he continues, "we had a different situation. Governments adopted the policy of trying to peg the exchange rate. I don't know what the right price of the dollar is, and no one else does either.

"Governments decided they were smarter than the market, It was price-fixing. Japan and Germany have been buying the dollar. But they aren't fools not unmitigated ones, anyway, They aren't spending their own money; they're spending their money, citizens' money." Rates

Friedman has been advocating floating exchange rates for many years, all through the period when nations, under the post-World War II Bretton Woods agreement, were trying to stabilise exchange rates inter-

nationally.

These efforts, of course, are still going strong; the US and its economic allies last week reaffirmed their determination to stabilise the dollar. So it's bardly orising (nat ridicules attempts to find a "proper" level for the dollar and somehow keep it there.

What is moderately surprising is that many other economists J F M A M J J A S O N D

also believe that governments should stop trying to manipulate the dollar and let it find its own level. Some of them think that the dollar, if allowed a little peace and quiet, might stabilise at a point somewhere near its current

Others think the dollar would fall a good deal more. This dissension, among economists who spend a good deal of time worrying about the dollar, backs up. Friedman's point: No one knows the "right" level for the dollar. James Tobin, a Yale Univer-

sity Nobel prize winner, for instance, says it may take a further 30 per cent drop in the dollar to bring the trade deficit down to anywhere near balance. Martin Feldstein, former head of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, earlier this month said the dollar might drop to 100 yen within three or four years"; the dollar is trading now at Y126.

The speculative nature of the dollar market was underscored by the response to Feldstein's remark. Traders recalled Feldstein's former position in the Reagan administration and wondered: Is he speaking for the White House? Does this mean

that the President and Treasury Secretary James baker are about to embark on another programme of dollar-bashing? The dollar took a tumble.

Information What the market didn't remember was that Feldstein, while in the administration, was often at odds with it. If Reagan wished to leak such information to the market he would choose a more congenial channel than Feldstein.

No one is going to stop Tobin. Feldstein or other economists from making forecasts about the dollar or anything else. But forecasts, even by the most distinguished economists, by themselves aren't likely to move markets very much.

What matters is not what the economist knows but whom he knows. If he does't have an inside track to the White House, maybe he bas been tipped off that the Federal Reserve is planning to buy a few billion dollars.

Maybe he has heard that the reaffirmed stabilisation accord is about to collapse. In such circumstances bis words acquire a weight they wouldn't have if they were based on intellect alone. Policy

In the past year the Reagan administration has switched dollar policy so often that its credibility bas suffered. "Every time Jim Baker opens his mouth," says University of Rochester economist Karl Brunner in a bit of ov "policy changes."

In mid-December the White House issued a statement that the US isn't seeking a weaker dollar, and the statement helped the dollar market temporarily.

After a while, traders decided

the statement actually meant that the administration, while it wasn't actively seeking a lower dollar, wouldn't be at all unhappy to see the dollar fall. So the dollar rose, but not by much.

The administration bas been trying to reduce US trade deficit by persuading Japan, Germany and other nations to stimulate their economies; the reasoning is that this would increase demand for US exports and thus the demand for dollars. Feldstein thinks the US should let other nations handle their own policies and spend more time on policies at home.

Package The deficit-reduction package that Congress managed to pass last week gets low marks from many economists; more is surely needed. Runaway budget deficits decrease confidence in the future of the dollar, and thus foreigners' willingness to bold dollar investments. Many economists argue that

the US should rely more on taxes on consumption, such as a national sales tax, less on taxes on investment, such as capital gains taxes.

Allan H. Meltzer of Carnegie-Mellon University says this would help businesses increase productivity.

The dollar should be allowed to find its own level in the market. If speculators wish to continue to factors, not the manipulative measures of government

The result could be pleasantly

Money brokers show boredom during lacklustre trading on the Tokyo foreign exchange market yesterday. The dollar ended at 123.50 yen and 1.5940/50 marks against 123.40/50 yen and 1.5940/50 in New York on Tuesday. (Reuter wirephoto)

January seen a crucial month for Opec oil price Abdul Rachman Ramly.

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): Divisions in the Opec organisation threaten a severe test of its ability to maintain oil prices in the early weeks of 1988, market experts said today.

January is normally a month when crude oil demand slips.

The possibility that supply will also surge has increased, traders and analysts said. They cited threats by Saudi Arabia and Indonesia that they, too, could ignore Opec rules unless other members stopped discounting organisation-mandated prices and exceeding output quotas. Pressure

The discord will "bring a lot of price pressure forward from the end of January to middle and early January." said Humphrey Harrison, analyst at Banque Paribas capital markets in Lon-

The Organisation of Petroleum Exporting countries met only two weeks agn to agree on output restraints to underpin an organisation reference price at \$18a barrel - mindful of how as low as 1986 bout of overproduction.

But a senior Saudi oil official told Reuters this week: "If our production fell below our quota, wewould assess why, and if it was because someone else was overproducing, then we would assume the agreement is compromised and there is no agreement

irm Pertamina, meanwhile said Indonesia would not be bound by the agreement if others violated output ceilings or price rules. Algeria, a traditional Opec

president of Indonesia's state oil

hawk whose aim is an eventual price of \$28, also sees a glonmy luture for the organisation.

Opec had failed to "take concreté measures against negative phenomena such as overproduction by certain member states," Algeria's official APS news agency said on Monday.

The recent Opec ministerial meeting, which ended in Vienna on December 14, only managed to agree to extend into 1988 a price and output package that applied in 1987.

Despite strong pressure from Gulf Arab states, including Saudi Arabia, Iraq was not awar-ded the production quota equal to Iran's which it sought and was not part of the new pact.

The failure to clinch an effective accord could not have come Western demand for Opec oil normally falls by around 1.3 million barrels daily in the first quarter of each year as refiners draw on stocks built up in the autumn and early winter.

Stocks now are above those at the end of 1986 and, although not large, could tip the supply! demand balance against Opec.

Opec has been producing close tn 20 million barrels a day, even though its output ceiling is set at 16.6 million.

Some analysts believe companies could draw up to 2.5 million barrels daily from stock, so demand on Opec could be as low as 16 million barrels a day in the first three months of 1988.

Fresh move to stimulate **GCC** economic activities

KUWAIT'S Finance Minister Jasem Al Khorafi has said that the economic statement released at the conclusion of the GCC 8th Summit Conference in Riyadh. constituted a fresh impetus for more joint economic work by the GCC citizens, and served to broaden the possibilities of deepening economic ties through the various new measures and fresh economic facilities granted to GCC citizens.

He told the Seyassah newspaper that the GCC financial and economic cooperation committee would meet on Feb 17 and 18 to continue deliberations for reaching a unified custnms tariff to be put in effect on the date specified by the Higher GCC council so that the fruits of the overall economic development could be reaped by all GCC countries and citizens.

Invitation

Khorafi will start an official four-day visit to Egypt on Tues-day at the invitation of Egyptian Deputy Premier and Planning Minister Dr Kamal Al Janzouri.

Khorafi and his accompany ing delegation will hold talks with Egyptian Premier Dr Atef Sedki, Central Bank Gnyernor Dr Salah Hamed and Health Minister Dr Raqeb Dwaidar on economic relations and ways of upgrading cooperation between the two countries.

Economic talks DAMASCUS, Dec 30, (Kuna):

The visiting Bulgarian Trade Minister Khristo Khristov today met with Syrian Premier Mahmoud Al Zo bi.

During the meeting, they reviewed the existing cooperation. between the two countries and accomplishments of the joint Syrian-Bulgarian work committee on the executive programme for developing economic cooperation in various fields.



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Alan Greenspan succeeded Paul Volcker as chairman of America's Federal Reserve Board. He didn't say the right things before the crash, but did afterwards.

Debt crisis

Banks increased provisions against dicey foreign loans. Citicorp diversed S3 billion of its profit into a cushion against loan losses, chiefly in Latin America. Other British and American banks followed some cursing

Brazil stopped servicing it; bank debts but later did a deal with banks, which suggested that il would try to catch up on repayments to more than 100 of them. The Paris Club of creditor nations rescheduled \$2 billion of Argentine debt.

Michel Camdessus succeeded Jucques de Larosiere as managing director of the IMF. Gene Rotberg quit as a treasurer of the World Bank during a staff shake-

Privatisation and flotation

Everybody was privatising. British Airways' shares began

THE Gulf Investment Corpora-

tion is planning to finance several

projects in the Gulf Cooperation

Council states during 1988, a sen-ior official of the GIC said yester-

In an exclusive interview with

Kuwait News Agency, Kuna, the

GIC's executive vice president

Hisham Razouki said that the

corporation will gain profits this

year in spite of the crash in inter-

Goals

ments. Razouki said that the cor-

poration followed a very con-

servative policy toward invest-

ment abroad, capitalising on

diversified and easily liquidated

The Gulf official said GIC

aims at being the investment

bank of the Arab Gulf region.

On GIC's foreign invest-

national stock markets.

short-term investments.

ing it the world's largest company market capitalisation: Paribas, a French investmentbanking group, was almost 38 times oversubscribed. The crash all but killed new offerings. British Petroleum shares, sold by the British government, left underwriters with a

The Bank of England acted as long-stop by offering a pre-set floor price, and the Kuwait Investment Office later bought a big stake in BP. Eurotunnel, the project to build a Channel tunnel, raised its finance but its shares went to an immediate. steep discount. The Japanese government's flotation of about \$5 billion-worth of shares in

Mergers and takeovers A cheaper American dollar produced tempting buys for acquisitive European and Japanese companies. JWT, America's best-known advertising agency. was sold to WPP, a British mark-

indicating, in that respect, that the main goals of GIC are to

participate in capital of compan-

ies and industrial projects in the

GCC countries and to develop

the capital market in the region

by encouraging catablishments

to get loans in the form of bonds.

poration aims at developing the

issuance of stocks, privatisation

and to encourage individuals to

participate in economic develop-

ment projects in the Arab Gulf

Role

He also added that the cor-

smoothly.

Japan Air Lines took off

eting-services group for \$566m; Blue Arrow, a British employment agency, bought premium: those in Nippon Telegraph and Telephone made Manpower Services, the world's their debut at \$10,500 each, makbiggest provider of temporary workers, for SI.3 billion; and Japan's Sony bought America's CBS Records for \$2 billion.

Cross-border European mergers grew bolder. Sweden's ASEA and Switzerland's Brown Boveri, two heavy engineers, merged most of their operations. paper loss of more than S1.17 billion. British Airways beat Scandinavia's SAS in the battle to buy British Caledonian. Trade and commodities

> America told the GATT that it wants farm subsidies phased out by 2000, but European countries and Japan dithered in the face of their farm lobbies. America imposed punitive 100 per cent tariffs on S300m-a-year of Japanese electronic exports. The tariffs were cut back as America

> > cleared some Japanese compan-

ies of dumping memory chips. America and Europe squabbled

over subsidies for Boeing and Airbus Industrie. The chairman and president of Toshiba Corporation resigned in a row with America over the company's sale to the Soviet which were allegedly used to make quieter propellers for Russian submarines. The cocoa organisation

members and oil prices slid from a summer high of S21 a barrel to below \$15. Comings and goings Glasnost and perestroika became the catchwords for a

collapsed. Opec lost its grip on its

new-look Russia. The Supreme Soviet approved economic reforms to give state businesses more autonomy and a market

Henry Ford 11, for 35 years boss of the Ford Motor Company founded by his grand-father, died in Detroit aged 70. Ivan Bocsky. Wall Street's crooked arbitrager turned supergrass, was jailed for three years

for insider trading. He tipped off Britain's official gumshoes about a share-support operation during the takeover by Guinness. a British drinks company, of rival Distillers. Ernest Saunders resigned as Guinness's chairman and was later charged with Companies Act offences, along with others. More arrests are expec-

WASHINGTON, Dcc 30.

Farm prospects looking up

Cairo and Moscow sign trade accord

CAIRO, Dec 30, (Reuter): Egypt The 1988-1990 protocol raises

hillion from 500 million. Detailed figures were not

Rate

Egypt has an artificial hookkeeping rate for the pound sterling used in its trade deals with the Soviet Union since the 1950s. Earlier this month, the govern-

and the Soviet Union signed a new trade agreement yesterday aimed at doubling trade over the next three years, Egypt's Middle East News Agency (Mena) said. the target for bilateral trade to £1

given, but trade between Cairo and Moscow is roughly balanced. The Soviet Union mainly exports industrial and farm machinery to Egypt and imports textiles, leather and liquor.

ment raised the rate to two Egyptian pounds from 1.35 to one

sterling as an incentive for more trade between the two countries.

billion, he said. Lyng said that between March 1985 and October 1987 the dollar

While the trade picture looks dim compared with 1981, when US farmers sold a record 162 million tonnes of goods overseas.

Continued high government an international agreement.

Ministry of Interior **Notice of Vacancies**

The Ministry of Interior wishes you (both Kuwaitis and non-Kuwaitis) to occupy the following vacant positions in the Administration of Data Processing Centre under the following terms and conditions:

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3. Computer Operator

Second

General conditions: 1. The applicants for the first position must be graduate in the field of computer with practical experience not less than (2) night years in evaluating and pursuing computer applications in addition to planning for future applications together with studying their feasibility.

2. The applicants for the second position must be graduate preferably in the field of electronics computers' science and engineering with practical experience not less than (3) three years in the field of the required speciality. 3. The applicants for the third position must have practical experience as computer-

operator of IBM Systems (4341, 4381, 3081, 3090) and another experience not less than (2) two years in applying MVS/XA-VSE/SP-VM/SP Systems; and in addition to that, graduates will be preferred. 4. Good command of English — spoken and written — is a common and essential

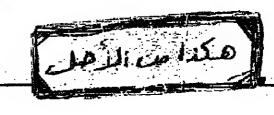
qualifying condition for occupying any of these vacant positions. 5. Passing the required interviews and set tests is requisite. 6. The picked candidate for any of the said positions will be subject to other legal

Submitting applications:

stipulations of employment.

Applications are to be submitted in person to the Personnel and Training Department at Shuwaikh Residential Area on special forms set for this purpose. Documents are to be attached without binding the Ministry to give them back for any reason, whatsoever.

Undersecretary



Razouki noted that the time has come to give the private sector a bigger role to participate in returns. He pointed out that the GIC development projects and find diversified investment opportundeals with deposits and major ities through buying shares of Gulf currencies in its investment governmental establishments. projects.

GIC to finance projects in GCC He said the GIC is also studying the purchase of the existing companies to offer them to subscription. Providing consultancy services to other establishments in addition to evaluating the financial positions of these establishments are also being considered, he added.

Deposits

He said the most important activity of the GIC is financing existing and new projects on commercial bases and on various durations according to the need of each project, noting that the corporation does not participate in a project that does not vicld

to be idled. And Lyng warned, agriculture's longer term prospects will

(Reuter): US Agriculture Secretary Richard Lyngsaid yesterday he is upbeat as 1988 approaches, encouraged by stronger US farm expurts, lower stocks and production costs, and

firming land prices.

But the top US agriculture official said the outlook is clouded by continued financial stress in some regions and costly government farm programmes that require vast stelches of land

depend largely on the outcome of thorny global trude talks that have just begun. Boosted by low US prices and a declining dollar. US exports are

forecast to rise over nine per cent

next year tn 141 million metric tonnes, Lvng said. And the US farm trade surplus should expand to \$11.5 billion from \$7.3

dropped an average of 23 per eent against the currencies of US foreign customers, almost reversing a 50-per cent rise in the value of the dollar between 1980 and

it is considerably brighter than in 1986, when exports dropped to 110 million tonnes.

outlays are necessary, he said, to combat foreign subsidies, and they will be reduced only through nulal

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Happy New Year

By Keith Wells

Tomorrow's nineteen eighty-eight l must admit I can hardly wait for the end of nasty 87 which had so few of the joys of heaven looking back it was quite a drag tankers flying a foreign flag silkworm missiles zooming in from guys escaped from the loony bin sat in a ditch in the saods of Fao firing the products of Chairman Mao and poor old Pao Am had a bomb thanks to that old fool in Qom who seems to think it's very saintly to kill the innocent while quaintly saying his prayers by night and day then sending his killers on their way.

Yes 87 was quite a flop even the stock market had a drop that turned my savings into ashes we doo't want more stock market era-

In eighty eight I'd like to see a hefty pay rise for you and me an end to wars and Ayatollahs no more drooping US dollars health and wealth and peace to you tet's put the bombers in a zoo And when it comes to playing cricket don't let them fight between the wieket and let our captain. Me catting forget the curses and keep on batting ignore the umpires' silly tricks or clout them round the head for six.

So all the best for eighty eight I bope your salary's never late, may you never suffer the deathly pallor of hearing the words. Boukra inshI wish you safety on the road and pray no lorry drop its load of airconditioners on your head for if it did you'd be quite dead and never get to leave Kuwait since for eternity you'd have to wait in the cemetry at Suleibya which is even worse than Abbasiya. May KTV stop all our pain and put on Chart Attack again. and cut out cutting out the kissing so we can see what we've been missing when those couples leap apart in the midst of matters of the heart.

May nineteen eighty-eight be better a littler cooler, a little wetter, may all fierce enemies join hand even the safeways and sultans so everyone in the united nations becomes each other's bilateral relation.

Smile please if you're going to Idaho

BOISE, Idaho: People going to Pocatello should be sure to wear a smile because it's illegal to frown, grimace, scowl and have any facial expression that reflects unfavourably upon the residents of the eastern Idaho

Those coavicted of the ordinance enacted in 1948, are required to go to the nearest "smileage station" and surrender a sufficient amount of smiles" and/or broad grins as are commensurate with his or ber offense." the law reads.
"These actions reflect

unfavourably upon the reputa-tion of Pocatello, the friendly city, and are hereby declared illegal ... and will be replaced immediately with happy, beaming smiling countenant, ces," the law states.

Idaho allorney general Jim Jones, who lives to Boise, said the law sounds like a good piece of legislation, but woaders—with toneue firmly planted in

with tongue firmly planted in cheek — if it iofringes upoo constitutional rights of freedom of expression.

Jones said the question of

whether the freedom of expression includes the freedom of facial expression is a legal quaddary of sorts.

"What about the guy who is pleasant but temporarily has his lip turned down?" quescons

"Or what about the guy with crocodile grin who intends harm but is actually grinning. You get into the question that a smile in one person's opinion might not be a smile in anoth-

Jones, whose smile stretched from ear-to-ear, said be thinks there should be various grades of the offense.

"Some people have a hard enough ome smiling so by just

getting their hps even they

be a smile," he quipped.
But Pocatello Mayor Dick
Finlayson said the law is ao
laughing matter for offenders.
"We really enforce it," Fialayson said as he harboured a
facial expression that bordered
on a smile. "If we catch people,
we shoot em."

Finalysoa said he asked George Phillips, the city's mayor at the time the ordinance was enacted, what prompted

Philips told him that the city had just eadured one of its worst winters over, snow piled to the top of the stop signs, with frowns, scowls and grimaces being the predominant expres-

sions all winter long.
"So in the spring Phillips said, "We had such a bad winter, let's pass this law," Finlayson said. Finalyson said a few of the

council members supported the law for a different reason. "The story goes that the councilmen went down to the bank for a personal loan and the bankers scowled at them," Finalyson said. "So they said "Let's pass this law and make it illegal."

Finalyson said his office has been besieged with letters and telephone calls in the weeks since the existence of the ordinance was made public nationally in a full-page advertlast mooth.
The ad, placed by the

American Bankers Associatioo based in Washington, D.C. was titled "Ludicrous laws" and condemns what it terms outdated laws that regulate the banking industry

The city of Pocatello proelaimed the week of Dec "American Bankers and Pocatello smile week," Finalyson said. Oae person who dislikes it is

Lisa Reese, a freshmaa psychology major at Idaho State University in Pocatello. "I think it's a dumb law,"

able to smile or not smile." But Suzanne Burton, a reporter at a Pocatello radio station, thinks the law should

The lighter side of world news

By Penny Nelson Bartholomew

WASHINGTON (UPI): "Ol-liemania" swept the USA last summer.

At the heart of it all was former White House aide Lt Col Oliver North, a central figure in the Iran-Contra scandal. For six days in July, he testified on live television before Congress and, if the figures reported by Washington postal authorities are right, got more mail than American entrepreneurs

quickly cashed in on "Officmardu." There were Offic North T-shirts, buttons, a colouring book, and even a line of men's underwear with the slogan "America's behind you Ollie" across the back.

 Washington — A bar on Capitol Hill celebrated the superpower summit with a Raisa Gorbaehev look-alike contest.

Hundreds of onlookers and a number of French, German and Japanese TV erews watched as seven cootestants, two of them womeo, strutted their stuff. Event organiser James Lovell said a State Department official phoned him before the contest to delicately express the hope the winner be a woman. It wasn't, Rick Latham of

Springfield, Virginia, won the New York - One week before the summit

broadcast Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's first one-onone American TV interview. The program prompted a flood of calls from children upset that their favourite show, "Alf," was pre-empted.

Orlaado, Florida — Two police officers thought Vicepresident George Bush would get a kick out of seeing bis boss controlling traffic. So as the vice-president's motorcade passed by, they donned Ronald Reagan masks.

The police chief was not amused. It's not known if Bush saw the prank. Petaluma, California - get-

Ung shot six times in the head can be a real pain in the neck. Just ask James Sexton. A gunman fired six hullets into his

skull last month. The attack left Sexton with a stiff neck. Doctors say the slugs lodged in Sexton's head should not cause any problems, although they might set off airpon

Federal Washington officials say such incidents are rare. It's not known if they've changed their minds after lear-ning that, within three days last month, two homes were bombed by ice from leaky airplane

The attacks took place in Centreville, Virginia, and Fort Worth, Texas. No one was hurt.

 Naperville, Illinois — Two skydivers were charged with reckless conduct after accideatally dropping a pumpkin dur-ing a Halloween free fall. The pumpkin plummeted through the roof of a home 50

miles (80 km) west of Chicago. No one was hurt. ◆Tacoma, Washington — A

man spent Thanksgiving in jail after allegedly assaulting his girlfriend with a 21-pound turkey.
Police say the weapon was

not confiscated because it was roasting io the oven. Rockford, Illionis - The

golf partners of police officer Marlin Peterson didn't seem to mind when he played six holes last June. His superiors did. They suspended him for 30 days without

 Beijing -- Kentucky Fried Chicken crossed the socialist road last month to 'open

China's first American fastfood restaurant. The restaurant is near Mao Tse-Tuag's mausoleum in Beij-

The local translation of KFC's slogan, "It's finger-licking good," it's, "so good you suck your fingers."

 Moscow — Last May, a Soviet animal trainer got the bright idea of having his sea lions perform for television at the edge of the Black Sea. The seals were last seen 20

Reese said," people should be

remain oa the books.

"I approve of it wholebeartedly," My philosophy is that if you smile a lot, people think you know what you are doingand I think that is a good philosophy for Pocatello."

Pillow talk

was coming to tea or not. 1 had egg on my face when I couldn't tell the press what time she was arriving. "You know how Russians are when it comes

to their tea." "That's the point. When she came she didn't want tea, she wanted coffee. I

and make a fresh pot." signed ao intermediate-

thought the Russians would do it.' Nancy said. "I knew

"You don't know about the tour of the White

House I gave her with the TV cameras covering us. "How could Raisa

upstage you in your own house?

told her an historical fact about the White House she know. I'm sure the KGB briefed her on every piece of furniture on the ground

Ronnie acted shocked. "1 didn't know this or I would have demanded a 50 per cent reduction in Soviet conventional forces."

sleep," Nancy said, punching her pillow again.

"Look. when we go to Moscow you can get back at her. You can be late for tea and we'll get the CIA to help you bone up on the than Raisa does."

iovite me to visit the Kremlin? Are you still going to sign a long-range missile treaty?"

"You're just saying that so I'll shut up.



"You're taking this too hard, Nancy. Men understand peace, but it's more difficult for women to realise what is at stake. If you and Raisa don't bit it off, it doesn't mean the end of the world. But if Mikhail and I don't -it does." "Every time Raisa

Gorbachev saw reporters she broke away from me and talked to them. She never stopped pushing me aside to look ioto the TV cameras. I don't call that glasnost." "So what do you want

me to do?" "You're the Presideot of

the United States. My question to you is, are you going to keep allowing the Russians to pull the wool over your eyes?"

Ronald replied, "Of course not, my little babushka."

1987, Los Angeles Times Syndicate

Express it in words New Year's Greetings &

John Lobo.

You being one of best parts of my life & proving worthy of שיש לשיב

Happy New Year. Rosy Lobo.

Dearest Helen D'Souza. Heaps of Christmas greetings loads of New Year luck with wishful rose just for you. (An affectionate)

Happy New Year to the staff of the Arab Times. Hoping 88 is as special for you, as you made 87 for me. Thanks, Jackie.

Happy New Year with blessings to Mr Mishal and all the staff of HPC from Mohammad

1987 was great hope 1988 will be even better. Best wishes for the New Year to nil my friends. H. Smith.

To my friends/well wishers, Greetings & best wishes for n happy and prosperous 1988. Syed Sattar Photo & Cine equipment Co.,

Kuwait. Garqi Mukherjee,

Welcome back! Best wishes for

New Year and hope everything works out for both of us. Hoppy New Year to Mak-

tabatal - Mojahed from

Mnhamood - T.V. To Miss Samina A.G. I'm glad I met you this yearcould I see you again in '88. It would make a Happy New

from Mr Saraj.

We wish a Happy New Year to our staff, our manager and proprieter of Foto Fast Arauf and Shahid.

Wacky, wacky, of so very unpredictable, wncky, unpredictable, its just a mish mosh.

Happy New Year to Shloon Gulf Flower from Pratapji Bhatia and Ghlab Chand Rajanora, Kuwait. \star \star \star

Best wishes and a Happy New Year to Mohammed Kashif and family from Mohammed Ashraf Nadeem. 1988 will be even better.

Nothing to write home about in 1987 perhaps you'll hear from me in 1988. Happy New Year Mom & Dad. Smith.

Rob Baker wishes Jillian, Dave, Keith and supporters of Kuwait's No 1 Kart racing team. "All the best for

1987 has come and gone and I'm still in Kuwait. Happy New Year to all my friends. Indira Siri. *

Princess Huda, Our first New Year together, and my loves grows. From my heart to yours, I love you.

Mom and Chris, A long distance Happy New Year from Kuwait all my love. Jackie. * * *

Hoping your new year finds you far from here somewhere near the bay where dreams come true, they

Nidal and Abcer Tebawi, Happy New Year with love from your Baba, Mama, Micky and Mimi.

Mrs. B. Bhutto - Zardari. May all your troubles be little ones. Z.U. Huq.

Happy New Year to all our friends and feathered friends. Rafi, Ghazala and parrots.

Mr Kuldeep Singh Lamba, we wish you and your family n very Happy and prosperous New Yenr. Pnli, Jolly, Kapoor, Rusi

Butterfly Maioush & family, have a wonderful new year! lots of love, aloush!

Mom, Dad, Mariam, Laila, Abdullah. I love you all very much. Happy New Year! Love your son, Ali!.

Ron, thank you for '87 here's to a happy '88. Ann with love.

Mr Nageen Kumar and family, may every happiness be yours nt the New Year. Darshan Someone very special and dear.

May your coming year be filled with happiness. Niru. Darling Shaun, welcome back on this new years day. Happy

New Year son, God bless, Your loving Dad Willie. Happy "1988" to all; God grant peace in world; Convert the cruels. 'R.D. R. Fernan-

des/Silver Star Int'l Trag.

* * * The wonderful nada hoping all your dreams come true in 1988. Bash.

All my colleagues at the A.T. Thank you for bearing with me. Ghazala A.

G.S, K.W, T.J, G.A, J.F, F.A., J.W, L.K., B.A and others -----do one thing ----- have one on me. KY.M.R.K.A.

Sidra, Madhiya and Ahmed. Don't do anything you're uncle wouldn't do. Y.M. Khalil. * * *

Dearest Maria, Wishing you n very happy New Year and n hearty welcome to Kuwait. With love Mum, Ded, Francis.

Dearest Dadima, may the 'Newyear' bring you all the happiness, incessent love, prosperity. Thank you for sharing this day with us. Cookie, Juju.

> My near and dear ones. Greetings for a very happy New Year. Khalish Hyderabadi, general secretary. Halat Shaoore Adab Kuwait.

Happy New Year. Suhail, Zahid, Mamu, Mr. Ishaq & Family, Mr Homed & Family, Mr Saleem & Family, Mr A Azam & family. Nastr.

 \star \star \star SHIVI, Munna, Sumar, Prithu, Gayatri, Happy New Vijay Beena Radhika Sarika

WISHING my friends and relatives Happy New Year. Praying to Almighty to bestow everlasting prosperity and peace in this world. Jamil David (Jack) Marivanids, Trivandrum.

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Wishing Suit. Joni, Asha, Prem & all friends in Kuwait. A very happy & prosperous new year 1988 with health, wealth & happiness. Siraj & Repon

Robert Martis, Best wishes for 1988 & the future. One of your beloved girl-friend.

very happy and prosperous New Mohammed Khalifa Hussain

My Dear clients and friends, A

My Dear Clients and Friends, A very happy and prosperous New Year.

Munawwar Mirza, Videogra-My dear Friends and Relatives, a very happy and prosperous

New Year. Khalid Mahmood, press secretary, Pokistan Youth Association, Kuwait.

All my dear friends and relatives a very happy and prosperous New Year. Dolly, Nazneen and Kally Kudaji Salmiyah, Kuwait.

Ambili. May your each moments be filled with joy & happiness, Happy New Year darling. E.Y. Ajayan

Best wishes for n bright and prosperous New Year to Mr Shige/Yamamoto/Tajika and all the staff of Az-Zour Gas Turbine Project. S.M. Arif & Mrs. M.A. Zeen-

athu Arif. Mr A. Zaman Chowdhury (Manju) Mr. Helal & your room mates, Sawkat Tailoring

House, Near Foto Fast, Kuwait city, May Allah provide yours splendid opportunity in forthcoming happy New Year 1988. Wellwisher, Masruzzaman Chowdhury & Ashuk Ahmed Chowdhury.

Hnppy New Year to Karyn, Stewy, Chris, Jo, Lorainne, Sarjik, Sani, Robert, Owen, Jamil & Nasir. Suhail

* * * Happy New Year to all Pakistanis & our friends. Iqbal Anjum, Big Boos

Happy New Year to all my friends and relations in S. Nyamthulla. * *

Walleya. Happy New Year to Ghazalah and Rafi's Parrots. Repeat: Happy New Year Happy New

Happy New Year to the Red Sea

divers.

Happy 1988, No. 25317 from . No. 87308315.

Happy New Year, Mom and

From Barbara in beautiful Kuwait. Hnppy New Year, Sheza. Keep up the good work at school.

Happy New Year to all of my family and friends especially my loving wife and sons. Zia Rahman. * * *

Either you love me or you hate me. I'll still be around in '88. Happy New Year. To cross eyes, from money

both of me. Keith Wells Thank you for the exposure. May it be as vibrant in '88

penny. I know you Love the

Salma Abassey Sylvester & Cynthia True love is yours for between the hours candles must be lit so the pair is a hit

Sally

Happy New Year mishy poos. from all the patients to be.

Amees - Ajulah, Happy New Year & the future is ours. Juna - Irus.

My dear Lify, Wishing you good luck and a Happy New Year. Zafar (Arab

Dearest Mom. brothers, sisters, relatives and friends. Compliments of seasons and Happy New Year. With love

Casmir John Fernandes. Mrs Romola Lopez. Hnppy New Year and God bless. Your loving husband

Yaldiz, Yusra & Reem, Happy New Year with love. Shahida. It easier to mention things that

mean a lot to me, that's why it feels so natural to take this tine to say you always very special. love Allen. * Mr Tarek Al-Makki - May every day you spend bring all

Reyes. Family members, friends, clients, We wish you a prosperous New Year 1988. Kevin Figueiro family Tel.

the happiness. "Happy New Year." Love, Lilibeth L.

Olga, Sasha und Dejun best wishes in New Year, Slobodan Jovanovic. My dearest husband Agnello

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Happy New Year. Neeta Fer-Durling Judy, welcome back. Happy New Year and happy birthday too. Fondest love from your ever loving husband

& Sons, wishing you all a

Tariq and Farzana lots of love and best wishes. Shabana.

Mr & Mrs Vincent Fernandes, Jennice Jude & Desmond Happy New Year Javed. myoz

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To all designers in Kuwait — * * * Elfie and John, Wishes for a bright prosperous New Year your best friend and family.

All our clients. Best wishes for

the New Year. The staff at the

Al-Mabrour Beauty Saloon

you've turned my world upside

— Salmiya. Mrs. N.J. Modi - wish you a very Happy & Bright New Year J.J. Modi.

All Photo & Cine staff. A very Happy New Year. Rathore. * * * My husband Sadeq, Wishing

lots of happiness for our future

together. Your wife Knystyna. Didi, Veer Ji, Diana and Anita wishing every day special of the Happy New Year. Rupinder. * * *

Evon Fernandes Asst. Personnel Messilah Beach Hotel Wish New Year will turn your life in to a happiest day. -Rakib.

Happy New Year To Adel Video and Mr Agbal Lttaf. From Ahmed Ali Kuwait.

To Esther Williams, Thanks for the reliant three wheeler turbo, I think I will get used to the bright purple colour in 88. From David Isopon.

Jaan, Let us fill our lives with happiness in the New Year.

Ronald Reagan got into bed and sighed, "Mikhail is really a nice guy. Nancy puoched her pillow with her fist. "He's feisty but he bas a sense of humour," the

President went on.

pillow again.

Nancy punched her

"Why are you doing

"I can't believe it. I was

that?" Ronald asked.

publicly upstaged by a communist," Nancy said. hitting her pillow ooce "You're just imagining hings," Ronald said. Raisa wouldn't upstage

"Where do you get this Raisa stuff from?" Naney demanded. "Well, he calls me Ronnie, and I call him Mikhail; so I don't see anything wrong with calling her Raisa, and the two of them calling you Nancy. That is what

summits are all about." "I doo't care what you all her, she humiliated me and she did it on purpose." "No one could humiliate you, Nancy." "How would you know?

on outside." "What did she do?"

You were locked up in

meetings all day and you

had no idea what was going

The Art Buchwald Column

"For one thing she wouldn't let me know if she

had to go out in the kitchen "It doesn't matter. We range missile treaty. I never

you'd take her side instead of mioe." "You're overreacting, Nancy."

"She kept straightening my paintings," Nancy

cried. "And every time I topped me with two I didn't

"You're just saying that because you want to go to

Kremlin so you know more "Suppose she doesn't

"Probably not," Ronald





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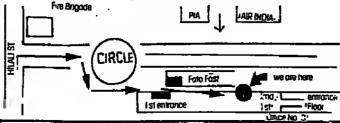
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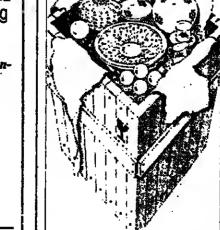
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راجيش كيهند اور ميمامالني كي محوقي جوتي مقوليت فلم كو

تقصان منجاسكتي ب- ويد كريلغ بوت ي ليش يويره

تیزی سے اپنی رومانوی فلم "جاندنی" شروع کر ویر

مي جس ش مري ديوي ' وفود كيهند اور رشي كيد كوليا

كياب. طابر مسين كي "جارا خاعران " اور ان كمانيا كي

نامر حمین کی " قیامت سے قیادت تک" برائے اور

منظ ستاروں کے ساتھ ہیں اور وہ مجمی جھیل کے آخری

مراحل ش بي رياسف ابرقم سازون سي ايك ران كومل

ى يى جوسلم ساتى برسطرى قلم "فاب عادب ين.

رثى اور قرحى يدروسانتك جوزى يعىاس سال وكمائى

بيماكي طرب دابيش كنهند بعي تين جار فلمين بناكر

كانى تقصال الما يك ين بعر بعى أيك اورتن قلم كى تياريال

میں - سیمی قلمیں انتقام اور تشدد کے موضوع بریں۔

وتت يريخ اور يلين بونت رك جاتي بي-

می معروف بی لین جس فلم کے انجام کابدی بے آئی

ے انظار کیا جارہا ہو ، ویواند کی مج کابول بالاجو

جلدى ي يدى يوش بولى ويواند قد زعرى كاسارا

تحربه بحى اور مرمايه يمي اس قلم كو كامياب بناف كالمائخ فكا

دیا ہے۔ بیان کی ذھر کا کاس سے براہوا ہے اور اس کے

نتیج سے یہ طے ہوگا کہ بے چارے بزرگ اوا کار اب

اعضری می زیادہ عک پائی کے یاشیں۔ بجداور

قلول کامی ایک و مصن انظار کیاجاد باب جے آگ

م کھا اس فلس مجی بن ری این جو لیک طویل عرصے

تك بنتي بي ربيل كي اور موجوده سال ان كي يرود كشن بي ين

نکل جانے گامتلارمیش سی کی زمن - مختن رائے کی تری

ويوا- سى شورى كى فرشية يدمنى كولها يدى كى اين قلم والأ

تك- دالل رول كى " مت قندر " سيماش ممئى كى

"رام تعن" بخے خان کی سرزین اور ساون کمار کی

" سوتن کی یٹی" جس میں ریکھا اور جیا پردہ ہے۔ لیکن

داييش كهندى جكسيةند وكواليا لينسا كران مي

ے کوئی قلم اس سال بن کرریلیز ہو گئی واسے ایک کرشمہ

ى كىمنا جائے كر واكون والى قلميں بھى بن كر تياريس

ميے كالى كنا يم ساك كى - زخى ورت دفيره وفيره

محدروسانشك متم كي قليس برين من كانول كي اييت

ے میں آزا کردیکھو۔ بار مبت۔ کی مربوتم کے

وراے میں میے حورت تیری علی کمانی۔ بدے محر ک

يني- كوروبشت الميزاور مسينس قليس بي بيع بي

سال بعد اور کھ عاتی قلمیں ہیں جن میں پکے موقعہ کا

استنال بعي كيا كيا ب مثلاً ولهن اور و بيز " مم وبيزلاني

كح الميس بنسى موضوم برخى بين ان بن ساكيس

سکس و مکیان' لیکن شاید اس کی نمائش بر سنسروا کے ا

وشواری کھڑی کر ویں۔ اس کےعلاوہ کمزور فتم کی جنبی

فلميس بحى بين جس مين بدل كي نمائش اور جنسي مناظر كيجير

سنبطال کراور کم تشداد می دانے کئے ہیں جیسے جواتی کی

الرس - رات کے کتاو۔ جوانی کے کتاو دغیرہ اور ایک قلم

بن ری ہے کمانی روب کتور کی۔ اس می حال ی

یں واجستھان میں جو تی کا حادثہ ہوا تھا اس موضیع بر

جث بوكى - اس طرح تقريباتين سوس زائد قلمين شوقتك

ك مختف منازل من بين اور اس سے بحى زياد وجو تكافي

والى بات يه به كه ١٩٠ قلسي بن كرتياري ليكن آساني

ے دیلیز تمیں ہوری ہیں اب لوگوں سے زیادہ قلمی دنیا کی

امیدیں ۱۹۸۸ء پر کلی ہیں کہ بیہ سال اگر افہیں تشل

خشيل اورمنافع أدعه سكا توكم ازكم يحدراهت وضرور

كادرياجس ش مكا كماته ولي كاري

مارچی مذہ بی دائسالوی اور تراثیب فلمول کی حب گہرماجی نوعیّت کی رئیس کے زائ ہم ہیں

ے مال کی ابتدا ہوری ہاور پرانے سال کو خیریاد سنے اور سے مال کو خوش آمرید کرنے کا وقت آگیا ے تاش میں بردہ فلم سے بزی امیدی نگائے بیٹے ہیں کہ ف آے دار اور میوں عمامیں کونی قلمیں دیکھنے کو لیے کی اور یہ قلمیں کیے ہول کی یاان میں کیابات کی منة كي- الكوشرور ب كراس مح سال ش قلم اعرسري ی طرف سے عوام کو مایوی نمیں ہوگی کو تک مختلف متم کی بت ماري قلول كاليك يروكرام تياركيا كياب وايك ك بدایک وام کے سامنے لائی جائیں گیاس میں برقتم کی 'بر

تے سال کی قلبوں میں کھے بوے سربائے کی اور ملنی النار فاس مجى يى بكر الى يى جن ش جن تكاويين وال مقالت يرشا يوارة هنك قلما يأكياب يجدا يكشن قلميس ہی جن میں ایسے ایسے استنت و کھائے گئے میں بوموت کو الكرتيس كالقصي مرف تفيح كالتبيالي ميس ار يحد مذياتي قلمين السي بين جولو كون كور لا كرچمو زيس يك مئتيه كماني بجن مي كاف 'رقص اورروف وحوف) كۆرامە بى بىكتە جاسوى ادر دىكت تىم كىۋرات يى جن كيرمهم كولى فك كونى منتى شال كى كتي ب اور يحد

لی جان کن بات یہ ہے کہ یہ سیحی قلمیں ساجی ذعيت كى بن مطلب يد كدان كروار ياتو ان ك ندنے تعلق رکھے ہیں ایجر کمی ایسے وقت ہے جس کا بو تفوص دور متعین میں ہاس سے یہ ہوا ہے کہ ورمرى فتم كي فلميس مثلاً تاريخي فلميس " نديجي فلميس " واستانوي كمانيال اور مزاحيه فلميس تقريباتهم بوتي جاري بيس اید اوام کوان سااب بیشد کے لئے محروم رہنا ہزے گا۔ : جونی فلمیں سے سال کی ابتدای میں شروع کی جائیں گیوہ ون كافى عرص سے بنائى جارى تخيى - سب سے زياده ج جاتوالم شنشاه كاب- يس في حوام كى بالى كوبعى ادر تازعہ کوہمی کاتی ایجار رکھاہے آخریہ قلم کب سامنے أسفاكي اوراس كأكياا تجام جو كلية ويجعف محسلتنا عدسترى والماجي اور تماش بين بحي يوى يدميري سدانظار كر ب بن بلایون کیتے کے قلم شنتاہ کا دواتھا یابرا انجام زوگا ای سے اندسٹری کے لئے بچھے شے اصول وضع بن محمده شايد لي عرف تك جاري ديس- مثلاً يكسى منارے کو لے کرایک قلم شکسات س قدرا مناو کیا جاسکا بيا الاي طور يرستارول كو ظلمول كوچمور حرا وسرى مرتر ميل على حد ليما جاهني يانس ؟ ايك اور عم جو براء عرصه سيدين دي تقي اور آب ممل موك تيارب وه ب جوشك اس كوهدايتكارشيكه يكور في مكارا



علالاربه ودالير تستدمه فردياله كيد عاله ف

بموفرياني آرث فلمس بعي ير-

منوع " ميشف جيط كسات

بورا كرليلب ويسي سيمي تكتيم كارول كوفرونت كردي محقی وراس سال شایدیز مستان برریلیزی جائے گی۔

ديماني بعي آيك جموتي ظم تيري سے بتا عاسي مين وو المنظيمودة بالورات فلم ساز سيدحس رشيى في الت ب " شنه داج " جن كل عدايتكاري المول في الم انتكش والي رين چندراكوسوي سب فيروز خان مجى أيكسة جوافي أورجلد بيضوالي فلم " وياوال " شي معروف بو مياسي- اس متم ي قلم وه زندگي مي ميلي ير منارباب-كوتك أكثروه افي قلمين بذين بارسة اور قرمت ياآ بيد عمديادان ليداملي استطرى دعكى كماتى باور ية كروار ولوو كهند بحائيكا كروفت يرتمل بوجائ توي مال کی انو کمی قلم مول - رین چندراای داتی پردوکشن تيزاب كو كمل كرف عن الله بوعيس- اس من بحي انکش بیای تعدد باور غریب لوگول کی کمانی ب فرق مرف یہ بے کہ ایک بڑے میافے ہے ، بوے ساروں کو

اللم " بوشيك " كانتيو بحي قائل فور ب- كيا تاوت اور سرمایہ ایک عی قلم کے لئے نگا ماسب بادر اتا کھ كرف كے بعد عوام الى فلم كوكس طرح قيل كرتے بي الناياتول سيجى بحدث راست كملنے بيا هشير اور مختف م كندور محى شروع كي جا كية بن - مندباتي تشمكي فلمين جور بليز ك قريب ين وه بين فلك اور "مير إور "جن من را محى كى خاص اوا كارى باس كے علاوه ب كى كى اللم "رخست" شيكير كيوكي طرح مي نيعي اس قلم كو بطور هدايتكار جموزوا بحالاتك يافح مالول تك ين جاد سے اس قلم كوينارى تقى۔ اب قلم كى ياك ۋور يعدد يوسرظب جي ين فاسيخ أتحول على الى بد داوا كويزك كى مزاحد فلم " آعي كى سوج " مرف بمنى كى ك النفيك سكى باور أيك علاقي من قلم كى ريلي كرنايون ب بيسه ديد يو والول ك التنابق ميدان كما إجموة ويناكي مال قلم " الدال " كليد وأيك بكي يمكني قلم باوريدى تيزى سے ينائي محق ب ليكن باہر كے تقسيم كارول فيا ا كجدة خاص يستدنسيس كيا- يتكل كيس منظرواني قلم "جنكل كى يى "ريليز يومنى بس ملى آغاب خاتون الرون في

يد عبيا يى يوقلىس اس سال سائے آئي كى ان میں ستارے اور اسٹنٹ بھرے ہوئے ہیں ہے بی دھ کی بؤارہ راجستھان کے ریکتان مل اور برانی حولمیوں میں قلمائی گئی ہے ہے ایک وائے زمانے کی واسمان ہے۔ سنموهن ويالى وكالممتامرسولى" الياستارول -اور آمکموں کو چکا چوند کرنے والے شاندار مناظرے آرات بو كر تماش بيول كو جينفى كوشش كرے كى۔ منموهن كورك كيتن فيالى كاقم" طوقان " ين بحى اجتابع بين ب اوريد ايك المشت ظمى شل اهتيار كر رى بيد اجتابيد فلم ساز عزيا دوالاي جموف بيت كي فلم " يج " كو تمل كرن كم لي مت الم الم منتان كي فلم عاليشان جس من اجتابيد كرمات تين تين بيرد تنين بين دهاب شايد المحكة سال ١٩٨٩ء تك ملتوي كر

دی جائے گا۔ ایتا بھر کی دو قلموں کے بعد منموهن

کے کرمنائی ماری ہے۔

قسازكل آنداور هدايتكار كيتن سيتدايك

ى قم " بيرد بيرالال" بنافي معردف بو محدين ده

باور تشور كماركي آخرى ويفكش ان كي زاتي قلم متاك چماؤی میں ہمی تیار ہو کر ریلیزی منظرے محراے خریدے کے لئے کوئی محی اب تک ماسے نسی آیل ہے۔





مينه عرب ثانزع فالمدع فيروز رنكونه والم كالمصوص د ليورث

مرحوم کے آمف کی طرح قلی مثل کا خطاب ویا کیاہے الطي سال الجرائ الدول الداكارة كرث عاكم سنكوك كواد كس الماديكا سال الب الموسكاك اس فلم کی کرورق صرف یی ہے کہ اس میں ستھن کے لمكون الاسكاا غصادالي يعافي وهوكاجمت معيد اسع بداو بادامك براكرواد ملاه

باورجس كى فروخت يمت مشكل ب خاتولتا هدا بتكار ودنول باللم بوے مضبوط معمولول کے ساتھ بنا رہے والمنظرة الما أن المستقى في " عن الكنا تريد كروي من ان كالراوه بي كم حق تك اس كو تمل موسم إماني اور دو تين ميتون ميليداس مائش بني الروي بأسال يراد عن الماس الما جا رہی ہے۔ دوسری آرث قلموں میں گوتم گھوش اس مم سے آیک تی قلم عثیروٹن سنجنا کردگ شے کی معمایاترا" ہے جس میں شرد کھن سنماہ اور یہ ظماس مال من آميول - عدايتكار كراد الأمنكيشكر سرائي فلم " ليكن" بناريب بي حس بي الميل اورونوو سال غیر ممالک کے قلمی میلوں میں منرور اینا اثر و کھائے كينه جي أكران دوستارول سفاس قلم كوسيح وقت وياتو شایداسی سال بدین کرتیار جوجائے گی۔ ان ووٹول سے اويري مظفر على ك حيد خاتون " كايعي دارد دارست اوروه ۱۹۸۸ می مردین سے پہلے قلم تعمل کر سکے تو بحث خوش

نفیب کماؤس سکے۔

جمال تک آرث قلمول کاسوال ب خاص طور بروه جنيس اين الفيدوى كامعاشى تعاون ماصل يروه ين

كر "رباك" بام كى قلم ينائى ب-

بعارتی سوویت مشترکه برود کشن اس سال پرا کر بائیں محان قلول كالمام ركم مح ير جوب اور بليك يرنس

گ - كينارياسين كى قلم "متى "كيد مشكلات كى وجد نی الحال روک دی منی تھی ایک اور خاتین ارونارا ہے نے بموق جيدين ونود كهند يهدين مارك كوف ايك ابم موال يه الفتائي كركيا شقى كير زيروست

اس میں اجابھ بکن اور ٹی کیدر ادر اسریش بوری ہیں۔ کریار شرور ہوجائے گی مگران کی ٹماکش کے لئے فی دی کے علادہ اور کوئی مرکز تسیں ملے کا۔ ایک مثال ہےدمیش کوار ميرونن كااحتاب عنقريب بوف والاب موسكماب روس والول کے نظام اور نظم وضیط کے مطابق اس ظم کی ك قلم" ترابام ميرانام" جواليدوابيات فتم كى حراجيه قلم









نتح مالی کھی۔ امیک اعسم صندم گئنگا تست سرسون سید احتیابی ، متحس اور فرویا دارتی

٨٨٠ مىر، مسلم معانتى يربغ والحت ونلم نقاب مىي فرج (ور وتنحت كيود



ونود کھناں ، آمنسا بادکیا اور نیوینسم ۱۹۸۸ء کے بڑے مبعبٹ کے شدام میشوادہ ' مسین



رکل ہے۔ مرورت کے انتیار سے ساکت تصورین

استعال كركے نغول كا آثر بدهائے كى كوشش بعى قابل

تحریف سے قرآن بر مصری اور بدول کی عکای قلم کے

مويدايك جدياتى كوشش ي اورظم كايى بهلواس ك

ہنائے کی نبیاد اور اس کی جان بھی ہے لیکن قبی طور پر بھی ہے

اليك قال قدر كوشش بـ قاص طوريراس كـ مّا شيدل

شیم کی فنی معارت کے ایک شنے میلو کواجا کر کرتے ہیں۔

براه دامت مکای اساک شاش ادر ساکت تصبیرون کو

ایک دوسمے سے اس طرح یووا کیلے کدرہا یہ قرار رہے

اور جمول مي تطويد آئد اس المتارسة إلى فتلداس ي

الک نمایاں خوبی ہے۔ اللم کے ماثر کو برقرار رکھنے کے

لے انہوں نے جو محت کی معدد محدود وسأل كياد جود

في كرواد القرآن تك جاكر انسول في وشونك كاست

مناسب بقلول يرامتعال كياكياب مظمت فيكي تسادير

بعی قلم کے بار کو نمایاں کرنے میں کامیاب میں۔ کویت

کے اکتانی بجوں کا گایا ہوا ترانہ ھے مرزا امان اللہ نے

تشيم زيدى كى يه كوششين شايدا يك تعمل ثيم ك تعادن

کے بغیر کامیاب نہ ہوتی۔ اس سلسلے میں تجیب ویڈ ہو کے

اتبال دارتی اور محرظمیرالدین فلم کی تدوین میں ان کے شانہ

بشاندرب بين أيك مال تك اس نيم كابدى مستقل حراجي

اور دلجعتی کے ساتھ اس پروجیکٹ کی سخیل کے لئے جمع رہتا

اس بات کامظم ہے کہ ظم کی نوعیت تجارتی سیں ملک اس

كي يحييه كبيط منت كي طاقت كار فرماتني قيم كا آناز أيك

بعوث ساڈراے سے ہوتا ہے جواس کی عدرت ہے لیکن

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🔾 ١٩٢٧ء من اعدونيشيا كے صدر

سوئيكار نونے دهمكى دى كداكر ملا يختيا كوسلامتى

كونسل ميں سيٹ دي گئي تووہ اقوام متحدہ كو جھوڑ

🔾 ١٩٢٦ء ش امريك في اعلان كيا

كەاگرىتالى دىمەتام يەيقىن دېانى كرائے كەدە

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بھارتی روپے (ایک ہزار) ۱۵-۲۱

امر کی ڈالر (ایک بزار) ۲۵۱-۲۵۱

باؤندُ اسْرَلْنُك (أيك بزار) ٥٠٠-٥٠٥

المرات ورجم (أيك بزار) ٨٠٠-٢٢

بحرفي رينار (ايك بزار) ٢٠٠- ١٩٧

معودی ریال (ایک ہزار) ۸۰۰ ۲۲

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٠٠ _ ك افتتاحى اعلان ١٠ _ ٤ خلاوت قر آن

کریم ۱۰ ۷ بهترین قبل ۱۷ ۷ بروگرام کا

خلاصہ ١١- ٢ گائے ٢٠١٠ اخبارول كے

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۵-۲۵ آج کا تقب ۲۰ ۸ گانے ۲۵ ۸

عربی سیکھنیے ۳۰-۸ ریڈیو میگزین

كرىسيول كى قىت حسب ذيل رىي _

ملامتی کونسل نے امرائیل کی طرف سے

بيروت موائى ازى يركماعد حمله يرخدمت كى

بمباری بند کردے گا۔

ر مودُيشيا اور نياسالينز كي فيدُريش كوختم كرويا

يارني كى طرف يديناوت كوليتاني فوج في ختم

عطل کردیا ممیا۔

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ہم نے امیکریش قوانین میں تبدیلیوں پر مجی فکاور مھی

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كباري من خرول كاعراز بحي بميس ى حاصل بوا - لير

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فعالى حصل اركيث كي آند ترين تيتين ويالروع كين

اور برنس کے صفحات براقتمادی ربیر میں مستقل فیجر کے

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بمارے فوٹو کر افر مے سنوڑ یوس منتقل ہوجائیں مے جو جدید

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کے تعد عرم کرنے میں کامیاب رہیں گے۔ کی

د كاوت يرقال بإناليامشكل شي موكا جيسا كريد وكعالى

ود مرول سے میہ توقی شار تھی کہ وہ وی کچھ کریں

مجدة آبان عواجين- آب كو آن مي اشام

كودت كارجلان ي كريركرناجلين كولي احقار

حركمت مذكرين أعتدال كاردية إيناني

وعلب والشمدي كامظامره كرس

رن مل

کوئی ایی حرکمت نہ کریں ہو پیڑادی کاباحث بن

وتستاد الميرتوالي ووانتي معها يتوميك الدمعه فردري كومركى يخشق

كازيار تن تخزافي جائر كا و تحميل لمر الله)

حاجی محرف خاط انشاائد قرب نسب يزاك فرايورل مح فوست ب

(١٩رايريل تا ١٩رمني)

ائی تلطیوں کا الزام دو مرول پر عائد کرنے کی

کوشش ند کریں۔ ماضی کے بجائے مستقبل کی طرف

توجدوی۔ آپ بجاطور پر خود پر فخر کر عیس مے۔ بر

(۲۰۱رمئ تا ۲۰، بون)

لينامعياد كم ندكري اورندى مستدياده ادير ديمين

کی کوشش کریں۔ اگر آپ کمی ایتھے دوست کی ال

على إلى أو بمرخود بهى أيك الجعاددمت بضع كى كوشش

كري- بعدى مفي يين كمان يريزكري.

(۲۱ر بون ۱۳ ربولانی)

ك القيمة المالابت بوكار كمان يح عم التوال

ے کام لیں۔ دومروں کے احمامات کا خیال

(۲۲ر جولائی تا ۲۱رانگست)

آن الديد كالولي لوسي آئے گا۔ نياسال آب

رزج مرطان

برج بورا

فأتم كري فيملي والول كمت لتشرقاص انتظام _

ماجي عبد التي ن 2421680 حاودانع الابيق رتثارت جابرا لملدك نموة يحالوسى بلنگ فمع دمان کے ماشے تشریف ایش دودر کورس کی فروٹ ہے

(۲۲ راکست تا ۲۱ رمستمبر) کوئی بات اسی ہوگی جس پر آپ فخر کر تھیں تھے۔

امنی میں مگن رہنے کی کوشش نہ کریں۔ اپنے ساتھی ے حروا مسلوک کریں۔ پر فرم دیں۔ رج بران المراد

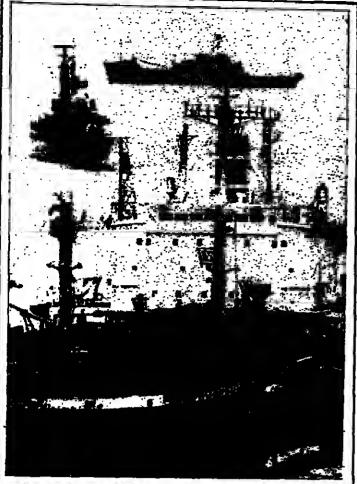
(۱۲۲رستمبر تا ۲۲ر اکتوبر) آب حقیق مورت حال کا مقابلہ کرنے ہیں كاميل رس محمه ياور كحير مامني حتم بوچكا بي لين اس سے سیق سیکھنے کی کوشش کریں۔ ایدارون اختیار ت كرين بيسيال تمام لوك آب مريشيت بول

(۱۳۷۸ اکتوبره ۱ از تومیر)

آب کوقدرے ذیادہ خرسکالی کا مظاہرہ کا چا هنبر - معاف كرني اور غلطيول كوبمطاوية كليه شاءار وقت ہے۔ ابی صحت کا بمتر طور پر خیال رهيل- مثلبه عيرزياده ووروي

(۲۲ رومسرا ۱۲ دستمسر) آج يد درائيدول عدومارين تعقبات اور بزاري برقار بالفي كوشش كري کواحاد میں لے کرجوبات کی می ہے اے اللہ مریں- معروضی روبیہ اپنائی-

رات زیادہ ویر تک جا محتر بنے اور اس طرح سے ود کو تعکانے ہے گر در کریں۔ ایسے تعلی ند کریں جن يرعمل كرانا فكن بور الي كونى تركست ندكري جس آپ کوید می شرمنده بونا پزے۔ زم گفتاری



بطافت فريكيت يانك ودرياف سيعى فيلج بيب يا نامستة فيتكرد وللسين لل الدايراني جُلماتها رب سفل كعدمان مراران جاكم جاز فدود اسي مك كود وكة كم كوشس كا عمد

ماہ دسمیر جسیان عسیانی حسیان فیمشکروں ہود مسیدے دسیادہ چلے کے گئے مناسد ١٠٠ وكبر (اب) عراق في آج كاب كه المرابي عراق فعال حلي شرود يجداك او تين حب زشى بوكي - عواق فيجس أنه ترين فضائل تملك فيردى ہے اس کے پائے تصدیق کو چینے جائے کے بعد وممبر کے معینے من مراق اورام ان مع حملوں كانشاند في وال جمازون

اس كيتلى طيارول فياران ك قريب أيك جمازير عمله كياجكراس أوجه فيحكرون كي يثك كابدترين مسيد قرارويا جارباب مل كانتازينداك جمارون كي تعداد مريديده می بید و در مرق طرف ایران ندو موتی کیاہے که معرفی

كيدوسقارت كارول يرياسوى كالزام عاكد كرسة بوئ

اسمى امريك ي كال ديا كياب اسبات كالعشاف

آج امريك ك اخيار "والطلن بوسث" في امريكي

يه بهارتي حكام كور باكر ديا كميا

جلاقي مركارى الشرول كورة كروياكي البنبس جندووز يبط

بائي يازد ك تعسلات جيايد مادون ف احواكرويا تعا تبل

انی سکام سفتیمار دور که طاب که معابان جبل میں

بنددن مكدة فأساخيون كوربكرويا فقا يجنوب بمشرتي صوب

آزع: بردمش شردشیل سسنگاری اسمیدند. ته دمرادی نگا

کا انعین داشدگشد بعدمور نے تحقیمینی شک سک

عفاق میں دباکردیائیا۔ وو خانق اضروں کو تھاہیہ مادوں تھ

شام اور نی آیل او کو قرمیب تر

السف كي منى سوويت وسنتس

الإهبي معار وسمير اكوتاء اخباري اطلاعات مكاملايق

مروبت ويمن جلدي شام ، ورشفيه آزا وي مسطين مي وميان

مفاجمت أذنتي توسطات كرساحه وديمشق بين تسعيني يواون

ومعراران مسعين كالدسك ومراماك

بين باكرديا مّا -

سي و بلي ١٠٠٠ ومعمر وراميم الدهوام ومي مي و جه

سفادتكاده درن كيك فح سيل ا يجتنف يعلين عفيه دشناه يزامت عاصل كمة عيى : والنشنگ التي يوسف والتنتن مار ومبر (دائر- اب) امريك على وين | ودارت فارجد كورايل كرواليل على البارك بتاياكروش سكران دوسفارت كارول كو كزشته بنفت امريك ك وقاتى اواري تحقيقات (ايف يي آنى) ك ايجنون في اس وقت كر قار كيا تعاجب ان على عن أيك سفارت كار سند بعض اليي وستاويرات وصول كي تحيس جن ك بارك میں افاخیال تھا کہ ب امریک سکہ توی سلامتی کے اوارے ے اہم رازوں سے حالی ہیں۔ انباد نے بتایا کہ جیکی سفارت کار کوب وستاویات اسری حکومت کے گئے کام كرفي والماليك وعل التبت في قرابهم كي تعين- بتيتنك یں امر کی سفارت فانے کے تر تمان کے تماہے کہ انسین ميني مفارت كارول كامريك عدا تران كسيار عيس مین علم شیس ہے۔ اس مے علاوہ چیٹی وزارت خارجہ کی



بحربست دك يانيول بن كود حقة

مندی برندسکه یا نیول می کو دکر ایکسپه وصیل مجعلی کی بدو ک بود قل بایوں شرچنس مخی حق - پسی ترسیشات لذيا فريعان المينبى مكرمعايق مسترلاجوتونوهي غامج بعادت كدود وفراد فالانكفشا ويبيد بوارتر سي تعطيع فراندن آئے برسف سے دیک، وحیل ٹین کی نشاندھی کی جوجیل کھ كم في سنديان بين آفتي عمل الدو إن سن تخلف في كوشش الإساليوليان مورسي فقي ورير حقرماتير ورحي سند مرز بایون می میلانگ مله و ن ادر این محافظون کی در عد ا وحميل توكم رست با نيول ميل وطفيل ديا ، جنود كمرضيت برمی دحیل جمیل مکه کما ہے۔ سے پیمنظر دیکھ دہی تھی۔

تنی د بی مهر وسمبر رانش مهاوتی در بیانفرز بیاندی



ملت ليزع مومول بوئ إلى يوترك عي يحي كي يل-ان میں۔ ایک ہم کے بیشتے۔ واسرائلی معمل زقمی ہو محة جبك ويكر ليترجول كوبوليس كسابرين في محل تعسان كيفية كاكره عاديا- يوليس فيتاياك يدليزيم اكرمس

کارڈوں کے بدے ش میے گئے یں اور سفیدرگ

باقىدوسر يےصفحه پر

مدالتول كايليكاث كرف كااعلان كرق بوف كماك النيس اين موكلين كامتاب طورير وفاع كرن كاموقع فراجم مي كيامار إجكرا مراسل دكام فاعلان كياب كسوه امرك كى كالفت كے اوجود فلسطينى كبلدين كووطن بدر كرند كي يوكرام يعمل كري عد امراكل يس منایا که معوف مغرفی کنارے اور اسرائیل می کم از کم

انک اور نیا سالے

متوف القدى ١٦٠ وكبر (اب رائش) امرائل ادر مغوف مغربي كارسدين تركاس كمازكم ملد ليزم مومول ہونے ہیں جن میں سے ایک کے بھٹے سے وو اسرائی افی او محصد اس کے ساتھ ی عیدد عرب علاقیل می احتیای مظاہریاں کے الزام می کر فار کے جلنے والے سنگروں قسطینی شریوں کے دکااء نے



• ارجادی الاول ۱۳۰۸ احد مجعوات ۱۳ردممبر ۱۸ و عرب بييت ايت سيات احدم والا

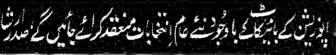
دباض كسح براهى كانفونس ببن ايران سے بادت چبيت كرنيهكا فيصد كرتے حبيق اومسان اودمعت دہ عرب اماراحت نے اہم كرح ادانجدام ويا۔ اومانی وزيردولنت برائے اُمور حشا دجے كا تنكشا حث

بحرى كي أنل ديغائيري مي تخريب كاري كامنقوبه بتاني والمي تين افراد محرفاد عُونِ من ومرد دوائش بحريث من سفادتي ذوالتي ك

مطابق مین افرادگو آگ دیعاتیتری میں مخریب کادی کم مغوب تيلاكم نے کھٹر بي گرفاد کرما گھاہے۔ ابنوں ئے کہاکہ بحرین پٹرولیم کمبنی کی دیفائینری پرسیکو ٹی اتنا کا '' محنت كرنيصر كخ بي جب يكك مفت يركم ف والماكل م المي حرفادنده بينون الزادكرين اشتسع بي ادران یں سے ایک بدائش یں کام کرتا ہے۔ بھرین کی محوصت ف س خرور و تا تعروبنیں کیا۔

برطانوى حكام كى طرف مصليح تعاون كوسل كى مربراي كافرنس كمفتبت ناعج كانيرمقدم

اندن ۲۰ د ميروكونا، برطانوي شكام في فيليج تعدن كونسل كى مرداى كانفرنس كوكامياب قياد ديت بوي ان کے مثبت تائج کا فیرمقدم کیسبے ، حکام نے انھوم عالما قراد داد کی اہمیست پر زور ویا جوشلیج تعادت کوشق کی مرمیم كاخرش يرمنغورك فني الاحمى مي عواق ايدان جنك كم جاد فائر كه الم كماكم به ودي النا براايد سه متوقع سع که ره برزدی می اواکل می سواستی کرنس کی صدادت بخانے کے بعد ایران سے خلاف اسلحاکی بازندی ممیست سخدشہ زاد دادی تیادی کے لئے گوششیں مرکود کر دے ا



يْتُح أَيْقَابِات، ايودُنيَّنَ كَيْسُموليت كي يديو يوسف السِك وهويك هويك وتي المسافي والديد

اور ملک کے سامی بحران کے حل سے لئے تکومت کے وماكد ١٠٠ رومير (رائل) يطله وليل ك مدر حيين ماجد مذاکرات شروع کریں۔ اتیں یہ کما کہ اکر الرار شاوے كماب كرايونيش كى بيش اہم كرويوں ك الوزيش واقعى عوام كى سيود جائتى بادر جمسورت يس باليكاث كياد ودفك على تنام التقابات معقد كراسة جائیں مے۔ انسوں نے مراشتہ روز سرکاری افسرول سے سفارت کارون کا کمناہے کد اگر صد امال فلے اور ایش کی خطاب كرت بوع كماكه ملك بن ايك موسى زائد مياي بیری شاعتوں کے بائیکاٹ کے باوجود احتقابات سنعقد بارئيان موتود بين اس كت عوالى ليك يا بقله ويش كرائة توان عان كي ماكة كومزيد نفسان مني كاكيونك فيتنسف إدني ميى يدى ماعول كى جانب يمايكات كى ملك عن ان وويدى الوزيش بارتيول ك علاوه ويكر تحق دد ست انتقابت على ركاوت بدائيس بوكى يد ودنول پارتيان جن كى مرداد بالترسية في حسيد دايداد و بيم خالده چھو أيجھو في سياسي كروپ مويزودين درين انتاء عواي لیگ کی مرراه شخصیدوا مدا آن این ایک میان علی کما بسی کما بی دیش بار غوال کا شوارت کے اپنے استخابات ضياءين صدرار شاد ك فلاف تحريك عراجم رت عفركي حشت ر محتی میں۔ مدرار شاد نے جو ایوزیشن کی طرف عن ایک (موعل بول مید مدر ارشاد مذ كرشته اه ے مستعنی بونے کا مطالبہ مسترو کر چکے میں عرب کماک با رایسنٹ توروی تحی جس کے بعد اسمان کے مطابق تمن بكدويش كامن يندعوام الوزيشن كى برآا والدوتشده ماه كالدراندرسية مخابات كرانام وريس كوحريد جارى ركين كاجازت ميس وي كيد انسول في المنه المركيش من الخواسده

نياساك آياءيه سالك بمن تركياء كيف ده جيزجوندكس جاتى ،ندآنى ، بهم ،التياء كموك الد سحادى توجيبن لوزان كے عسلاتے سے و ايس حيى جائين بكيونشٹ ياغيول كامطالب كياكيار اخبرك مطابق اس عطي كماكياب كرجولي مَيا ٢٠٠ رومبر (اب) قليان كے كمونسك بافيول فيضوني كورياك وواغواشده الجيشول كى رائى كم بدال كورياك، ونيل الجيئرول تمي ساله يولي ستك كودك اوريكا م ایک اد کو امر کی والر کا آوان طنب کیاہ ان دونول مال بان بك موكى محت بالكل تعيك ب، قطين انجيترول كوظيائن كمثالي علاقيلوذان يسمرك كالتمير كيونسك چهايد مادول في ريم ي آلات كي فراجي ادر ك دوران كرشته او كميونسك باغيول في افواكر لياقد اس علاقے سے فیوں کی داہی کامطالہ کیا ہے جمال سے

جنوني كوريا ك الجيئرول كواغوا كما كياتفا اغوا ك جلف

سيول ٣٠ رومبر (اب) جنوني كوريا كالجوزيش ليدر

كم يوك مام فلك ك أكده بارلماني التخليات عي

مكران بسس د سوكرينك بارن كالكستدية

الخابوريش كى دونون يدى بارغول كدوميار واتحاد برزور

ویاب انسوں فرمدارتی انتخابات سے قلم انجاری

بوئینیکسن فاع کو بتک بادلے کم اے مگا اے جگ

ے علمت تعلیل دے والے کروپ سے اولی کی کے

ودوباره رى يونيفيكشن بارنى = آط-انول

لماكد مك كوجسوريت كى رادير يجاف ك الح ياريمانى

التقالت من الوزيان كيب كالتفاد التائي ضروري ب- كم

منگ سام کی اس ائل کو پارٹی رائے اس دور میں مت کے

مرراه كم والمفرك في كالوديد مستردكر ويلب- كم

يعك مام اوركم وائ جك ف الإزيش ك عليل ك

طرف سے اتحاد کی ایملیل کے بادجود تشمران یارٹی کے

اميدوارروه مائى و كے طاف صدارتى استال كدوران

اتمار قائم سيس كيا تما اور ان دونول ك التخايات على

كوز _ ربخ كى دجه _ الوزيش اليددد مستقيم موف

ك باعث مدارتي ا خاب باد كي تحي- يه بات قائل ذكر

ے کو اپوزیشن کے دونون صدارتی امیدداروں فیجوی

طور پر حکمران پارٹی کے اسدوازے کمیں زیادہ دوث

كم فح التي ويك في الدين بالدين بالدين الخارس متعلق كم يوست سدا كالهيل مستود كردى حاصل کے تص لین ان کی چوٹ کی وجہ سے الوزیش کو فكستست دويار بونايدار است فل كمزائ وكسب عكران يارني يرصدارتي انتخابات سي وهاتدليان كالترام ما تدكر تعبورة القابات كفيط وكاندم قرار ولوات ك لي اليونين ك الحادي الماسي مع يكن م وعد مام نيدايل مستروكر وي حمي-

الوزيش ليفرون يرزورو ياكدوه اسية فيعطي ش تبديلي كرس

مودیت نوئین امصر کو جدید عرز کے ساميزائل زايم كرے ال

کیت میردهمردکانا) مودیت و بین معرکی جدید طف مام ميزال بها كريام المرض من اونو ل ماک کے دریان ایک سمارہ پرمثل کے دود وستھو ہوئے مقامی انباد الانباد کی راورٹ کے معالی صوومیت پوئین میزاثنون کی فزدخست پردس سلند آما ده جوهمیاکر معسره مرديث اسلى اسي لهست استعال كريجا ب الإيمام ك فاعنل يرزه جات على تياركردم ہے وصف رف صوديت يؤين ئ كُمنيكي ، ما نت سے مينوں كى تيا دى كا فيصد مي كياہے

 ىرانىكى بى فون نىچكومىت كاتخترالىيە يا ومنبرك سادممرداش نمذ افراع كمراكسة ال دن دانسی می وی استان میدان ماین کمنسکاف آنین م دزيراعنوا دركا بدشكواركان كرسس كالمحتديان كزون كمحدلية كبس يابرهجن بوسنع تقيدنتي مكومت المي ودي ماه يسيع ا بمنامتى بافى وق كيمرزه حرار برومه فساعل كأكم ف عرمت رقب کرد ب بن مسنود م وج انقلاب کا بردوم واقتصي

كويت مين لعيض عالمي اثراباً بينول كؤنثرمنر نئيس بي نماياں رعائت بينے كا فيصل کویٹ ۔ ۱ رمیر کن بکریٹ کے تعد شہری ہے ۔ بازی نے

بين بينالاقاى وكالسنون كمفين بمرنس ودم وعزموس

مص بالمين فيستحدد ميان مه يت دين كانعوا ميسيخ

يرو صوب اوكوس فرز عيم كزشته مفتح فين ك مرو

رے تھے۔ بارلیسن کے ایکرووموں مواما کی

طرف درابرت مو كلي كو متحب قرار دي جائ ك

اطان کے بعد 'جس میں واکسے بن امیدوار محے 'خواتین وزراء اور ارکان اسمیل کے کیت گاردرقس کر کے اپنی

مرت کا ظمار کیا۔ آئے اصلاح کے تحت زمباوے عل

مك ك تمام انظام اختيادات مريرا وملكت كوتفويض كر

دامداید دادهونیسکیدولدت ۱۱ تحتایی کاددد ای دومتل میان مسلملهوگسی

برادے و ارومر (دائر) زمایوے می آئی زمم | مکانی محدد علے سات یو سے مردا ملت علی

عنى بى اوْ لِيدَ مِن اصوديَّو اورجو هذم كَ مَا وَمِنْ لِيكَ عَلَاقُو السَّمُ وولنَّه الساجمين في جا ماه عام اورسفيد فام امن وأشف سوماة ما هَ وكمانت ويت لعب

سائت كونسل كريك مالكسه دالطه كرنيولغ وعددمسيي يشارا اوردو ودرائ متارج صشاملهودسك حانت اور جنگ ختم کرنے کی بین الاقوای کوششوں کو باد اورمانا الى شالب اس عديدار فيد مى اياب ک طلبی تعاون کونسل این سکرٹری جزل اور دووزرائ فارجه كوسلامتى كونسل كاواكين سے واليط كيلو يھيے گ- آہم يد مس بتا إيم اكسيد ودرائة فارجد كون مول معمد وري الكاء خرر سال الجني دائش في كرشت رات مالديب معدكا الأصراميري ما بنيام

اسرائه ك وحثيانه كاددوائيو ال بالشوائه كاللاد كويت ١٠٠ وممروكة الاطاطرت المركوكة الدرب كەمدار ئىل جىزالقىزم كالېكىرىينام مومول بولىيىنتىپى ان كالمكومت اددعوا كالطون سامقومة طرب علاقون بي غلسطينون يكفظات امرائيل كم وحثيان أقدابات يرتكري تشوليش كالكياد يكيس ينام يركيك يكدان كالكدائس تام مالى كالشون ين مؤكمة برق دسيدس كامتعدام وثيل كامترمذع بدعاة ل ين بن ما مرار بالسي فتمرا اورنك لمينيد كام مان دمال كالمحقط كرة بر- اللي حفرت المركورين الاسك بواب مي وحول م مع جامیں نے املای کانون سیم مرح بری کاحشیت سے مقيعترا وسعن قون كامودسته مال يؤمكاكي كامكر كيجيج يتقي

مات الح المات كا تجب انول يا إلااس سليط بن منحده حرب المرات نيجي ابم كردار انجام ويا قا ايوى يَعْدَيني سفاى البادى الكاورى جس س مربراہ کا تفرس کے دوران ایک اعلی حمد بدار کے والسعاياب كه خلجي تعاون كونسل كے فيط ايران ے قربی والیل اور سمج معتول می اجتمع تعلقات کی وابيش كالمقري وكي يتيم وكابيم والج ماسل بوك یں جن س طلحی ممالک کے ظاف حلمت کرنے کی امرانی

توست كى الدائدين بعدين بعديكود والمعمدة كراره عين ديد ليوكا بل كا اعترادت مرکاری فاول اور تبلدین کے درمیان لوائی کے دوران كر فقر كيا كيا ان يريمي تجلدين كمات فير قانوني طورير افغانستان يس داخل موسة كالزام عائد كيا كيلب ايجنسي نے کماکہ انفانسان کی حکومت متعدد بار فیر مکی محافیاں کو متنبه كريكى سيدكد اختاستان عن فير قانوني طورير واطل موسف كى صورت عن النيس مكذ طور يرا استأك زاعي كامامة

يبنى كالوامسان هدك هورة ولغ درجستون تسعريون كعسوكهين عااعزوال كحاكك فريتي ان عن عداك فض شايت درج كراس يك بمائة يوليس المتيش ك الدركيا اور وبال يوليس والول سے مراکرم بحث شروع کر دی۔ اس پر بقید افراد بھی یولیس والول کوزشی کر دیااوراسلحراور گوله بار دو نوت کر وديوليس والون كوشديدزخي كرويا- اس كيعدا بتايسد عالس = زائر منهالي التاريزين كالملق عال عواي عاد بوكس استيتن - آخه خود كار دانفلي المن مين مين كي آزادی سے تھا، روچھوٹی بسول میں سوار ہو کر کولیو ہے المالوى محانى كو كائل ك مثرق على صوب فتمان على النوع كلوميزدود معادية كم ملاق عن لك بولس الشيش اورن مقدارش كوله بارود لوث كر في محقد يولس في اس خلے كا اوام مواى عاد أزادى تاى تظيم رعائد كياب جوبحورت اور مرى لتكاك ورميان في يات واسارامن سمجوت کی خالف ہاور جس کے ارا کین ڈیز ہوسوے دائد مياستدانون اراكين بادليسنت اور ديمرافراد ك

اس مجوتے کی حمایت کرنے پر ہلاک کر بیکے ہیں۔ باتی ووسر مصفعه ہر مشتبدلبنان المجيكرك بداء مغرفي ممنى کے برخانی کو رہا کر دیا جائے گا

یروت ۲۰ دم روم رودانو، بروت که ایک مجل نے بِينْ كُنْ كَ سِهِ كُلِمَان مِن مَرْئِ جِمِنَ كَ يَكِبِ بِيفَانِي كُ ے واکیا ہے چار روز قبل فریکفرٹ کے ہوائی ڈے پر

مغربی يومنى كا حومت كے اى وعده كے ومن د ماكرد يا جلت ح کرون سے پکسیشتر بینانی ای جیکری دیان جی حق میں آ جائے گی۔ اخبار ' انشرار' نے کہا کہ اس ملسز میں معاطرجلد ای سے ہوجا نے کی و قع ہے ، جس کے تحت معربی جرمنی کے رود ان کودی کور اکرویا جاسے حج اور اس کے بدنے این مؤمت بورس تورمل حارى كورا كريدكا وعده كريد كى كورديس كومهر يورى كومغرني بيروت بين افواكيا كياعقا اود معاو تناوى كاكم زميد كمديد وورسال مادى كدوشة وادو ملا کے ایک اخیارے فرقی در ایوں کے حوالے سے بتایا ے کے کیونٹوں کی جانب سے مطالب ایک خطش کیا گیا

كر تحدد يرافقم كاعده فتم كر كبا التياد انظاى مدر

كاعده قائم كيوسا كيدا أن الك كرواياتول ير

ستمل بارليست فرايت موكات كاليلا

ایک یکیتو صد تخب کرلیاد قبل ازی وزیر اعظم کے

ميت يرقائز يصر إرالسنت كاماس يور كالروائي

بانج منت مل موحق - ١٣ مال موكاي اجعرات كو

تملے عام منعقد جوتے والی لیک تقریب میں صدر کے

مدے كامل افيكي مرد كتان باناكى

معود ی وب نے ایران کے بلے میں

ایناسخت رویه ، کچه زم کراپ

یں اپنے مخت رویے میں رمی پیاکری ہے کوٹیے مرب

ك ديج ما كمد وإن ايران جنگ كے فائم كے لئے اوا م محد

كي أشر كي بهت حايث كرفيدي مقادل دوال كي طال

مودى وب أو اللياء فعاون كونس مك ف مدد كى ميشت س

كرنس شكري دكن حاكات كي ترجاني كرنا جر كي اجن بيل دو ا

متروع برياماوات اور اولان ك ايران كد ماقد الك

تحدثن تتابس رمغادتي ووائع كاكنزسية كرابران كع بالعند

برسعه والرسيسك دوقيين دى ين ثمام كالمشتون

واجبره نيهب جوايوان اورفيليج تعاون كونس كحدودميان

الشيدل وكالمنف كالمحتسس كالمواجء

، فض ٠٠ دوممير وواسم معودي حريد النه اليوال كميد اليمي

البور - ١٠٠ مرومبر (دائش) باكتان ش كركف حكام فے ایک بار مجرسائل کیان عموان خان سے کماہے کہ وہ مفائز مند فتم کرے وسٹ اعرب کی تھم کے متوب ياكستان ك دوره يس اليد مك كي تيم كي قيادت كرس عران خان مجتول في حاليدولد كيش كمان كراور عالى كركث كوخير آباد كهه وياتفا مخل ازي مركاري حكام ادراسيندامين كالمرف - ميم كاكتان رسينى ايليل ی مواحد کر چھے ہیں۔ یا کتان کر کمٹ دو کے سیکرٹری اعجازید نے کماے کہ جاوید میانداد کے اس بیان کے بعد كدود كيتاني جمورة علج بين مران خان ساليا فيمله

وكساني كالشيكاع كالمرانفان سروييك الأيزكين لات كيستاني تحبول كرتب

منظم اسرومبر (كونار رائم لب) ليان ك

وزیردواست براے امور خارجہ بیست الطوی قانوان کے

ليك مرا مرا والروائرويودية موسكا كشاف كياب كرفلي

تعاون کونسل کے مریراہوں کے اسینے دیاض کے حالیہ

اجلاس ش متحدہ عرب المرات كوامران كرساتھ متسافق

كرداد اداكرف كيلغ مخب كياب انهيل فياياك

مررای کانونس کا اران کے ساتھ ڈاکرات کا افار

رے مکا فیصلہ اومان کے سلطان تااوی کے امران کے

ماسكو ۳۰ رومبر (دائش موديت يغين كي سركاري خير

رمال ایجنی آس فیتا یا ہے کہ افغانستان میں گزشتہ تمبر

کو سرکاری فیجوں کی طرف سے مگر فار کے جانے والے

فرائسي محانى يربحت جلد مقدمه جلايا جائ كار الجبتى في

بنایا کہ انعان مکام نے قراحیسی قری لائس فیڈ کر افرالیس

كوئيلو ك قلاف تحقيقات عمل كرلى ب جنيس ٢١متيركو

افغال تبادين كے مراه قير كائونى طورير انتفائستان يى

واصل موسے يركم قاركيا كياتا كوكيلو كے خلاف جن كي عمر

معرس ب اختافتان کے سرکاری اور فرحی مفاوات

كي لئة تعمان كاياعث بن كخ والى مطولت وح كرف

ك سلطين يمن المقتلات كي الله - اليمنى كراس مان

ك مى تعديق ك مرالى كالك محانى وسويالى ملادوكو

ہا فغانت آن میں کر نگر کما کیاہے اور اقغان حکام لے ان

معارس من تحقیقات شروع کردی ہے۔ بال سلادو 10

م) تومير كوافقاتستان س لاية بوكة تقد المنتى فيما ياكه

ئينان كايميائركوگانى نينغ كى ماديخ ، بھارت يس جى دُبرا فُرمبُ رہى ہے کلکتہ - ۳ در ومبر (دائش) بھارت سے دیسٹ ایڈن کے

خلاف تيرے كركت شن كي كے چوتتے دو: كيل ثتم عوف تك التي يملي الكريس اوكول ير ١٥١ رو مال ويست عربز ي عمل زي ميلي انظرين ٥ وكن بر ٥٣٠ رنز عاكر كميل فتم كرنے كاعلان كردياتھا۔ و ينگسر كاد قے تی تیجری تھل کرلی اور ۱۰۴ر تر جاکر زخی ہونے کے العشكيل ترك كرديا- اردن لال من ٩٣ مرزوات في کہ و پلشن کی گیندیرائل فی ڈیلیو آؤٹ ہو محصہ اظمر الدين كويحى المول في اكث كما على حمالم رود بالدي تصامراته ين ٣٣٠ روى شامتري في ساعه اور كرن ميرے نے ٣٣ وتر بنائے۔ عداشاقی وز سميت



م فوصل العدد لبيث الأمر كاميعان تيسي كوكث نشويج بإدجيبت كفيصل كم يق

دجرة هيد لخ

المون ٢٠ ومير (وائم) غوزي لينز ك تا بوار رج ذهبذ الرئے آن شت محص آخو تداروں و تحص لين كاريكارة كاعم كر وياليكن بوايك الي وكت ليقين كامياب ترويك الوزوى لينذك أمرطيار فق عد بمكنار ئر علی تھی۔ لوروہ آئن و تھم پر بھی مبقت بچا کئے تھے جو شث كركشندش وكنس عاصل كرسة والول عل سيست آے ہیں۔ آمزیلیا کے ماتھ تیرا اور آفری کرکٹ شت کی اوجیت کے فیمل کے بنے ختم یہ کیا خصر جنتے ک لارم ارزى مرورت مى در كليل كانتام كك ووق

هكذامن اللجل

المسابق الموافق المساورة والأروان من أي يكيا ين ويصيفه المنطقة والموافقة والموافع المنطق الموافقة الموافعة الم ادراني مشديك بتدري وأبخر بالتناجم ستأني فمض بتنائيه وسيتهي والعين فايس بتناجع بالأوين واستناعي والمسين والهياق عندعت " وَالرَيْبِ لِنَعْلِ عِنْ مُوسِقِ عِلْمُ الْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَلِيْعِيلِ وَالْمُعْلِي وَلَيْعِيلِ وَالْمُعْلِي وَلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمُعْلِي وَلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعِلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي وَالْمِعْلِي و بوستانعي وتيم الدين يبيئ بالري بي مويضيف كرسيان سار بالكروب بالبناة الزاني الياري أواوك سنة الرسنة سنا يما يتأكي

وراهن بياس والماب رك من مل والمركة مناب الحي من والمائية الحرية المراب والمائية والمراب والمراب والمراب المسكة

وهان والأوراعة وبالأول بالإسباقي في سنة تبدأ والإستاج بالأكر ويلى وساؤه بالا في تاكي تساه الأشياء منا والمجاز المساموتي

البيارين مين الهي المعرقي البياري المعروب كالمعروب الموارجي كالخويض والأواران والأوافز الأن يتلح والأرابي الأعمل شايع مساجع كسا

ويزيدا بي يكومون في يجد ما بالاراس يدنيع أن كالعرب في ما يركه كعيل أنوش أميز بالاداد الحجل في بيد أن يت ما بالتعلي والمعمل والمعمل

التقوي أوزا ببطائب أأبهم أوثر أدرانين يأفرق ببدار رائب بخزل وزرعت أساء مستاهم بمزام أأويام البار والمنتجم سأوا سياموكن

ا فاخرار بيليادا الانكا<u>ف بالمسائطة بين عوافظة كو</u>" و عدا كاركي كيم سارياس رازي والاكاسب كب سناد سنامان كسارا كا

يأخل شاحول ياسا فاحل جي أقد واراند

قدوات ورايول كوهاون كالسياوراز روسا سياست

الجهي نشتور أن حرف تمستي دي و اواري كسوست

التساذية مروش بين العازيشن المتناف والمتثار كالتحاري

اور سیای معانت ن ایک انزات کنور بزت کے۔

سياشدان روس افخاشتان اور بعدت جب منافشتان مي

ولله بوسة ، إكتان ك اومع ترين سيست وان بي اير

ميداور فقار فان يتني بحارت أوازي مضور سته بحدث

كف الك من ها منه يراور دوم مدويل منزيد بيانت

بأكستان كالبوى مفلق وهداتنا اير آلوه شيرره ببتناس

ستديجيك مداول بترقده مدشل لاوكوم بنين المل وسينه

كادو تجب شندم ول يم مياكيا عنود التيدل مولى والكاة

رباليكن التيمام كم مراحل يحيي بدي فاموشي سة مطير مرة

سميار صدد خياانن سنسياى امودي فارمنع سرربات ووو

يندكوا ووفراهم تكي مطالت والتي كدم وي تصني يج

محنه بوليجوشه وشيش أيب منزدروز موامنتهم منه جات متصاور

قومی ملم کی سیاست مرسلات ورب تران کی ایلیت

ملتوك ميخى جاتي تتى- اس كي تتعراب صتوب سيان ق

وسية كالمعراج المائم بندي والمستنزير

حونيج وحسكومت



مددرطها، خوس سد بس منظمين



وذيرامفنم جوزجو سط يهذيده يراعتهام





سيدنيكادا _ دوسانسيوشوا







فارجدامور وزيراعظم كالتياري بابرى يزمج وات تصفين عده وس محدفان بونيون مازكم فادج اموري ا بن فخصیت کی جاب الاست کی وشش کی سه اسر کی مکام



استعبات فيمتنأ واستأجي وتي حريب كندس سأن حرواه

الأنوش يمرجي تسراحتني فركنتاق افيني ممارري

يحي تفسيقي دوروأ بيان البيت وتت النسر بأعثاث المسابقين

تزشتهال کے اہم واقعات اور نے کا کے سکانٹ مرحوب ترکے اردوات النازارية مرية مقلي شون من في أوري يا يان أن ويوم تعتل فالمنعق نتبو الحالا اليسناب وواس مؤي مياري البيال والتال فأنكأ كسوز والمقلم كالأراراء أروعيت أجراء أأد مرسته والدافيا فيماأ والمستباطرات وو أسينظم خضاوك كلفتان الرغينا الأكورا وال جي وه پاپ و نسي فيرمغور سان وغو يا مانتان المس ومناوسيني عودي فالهيدمي ببدأي ومايا سنداقي التباييا العرار مبياكارا موادوات الدبك مال بين خوامت الورسة والدادية والمسالة وأداب المهااس تورا وأفيين العصية مح مجمع بيب الكراب وأراهم الدياب التذووين مخلف بالمصاحب كالأناص ماريش مسد الذينان على و مانت البين وود سيدور في

افرون بالراشق جي اوق ۾ انظان ساد و ڪ انهن ولا يتلال شد الأنكو التي وينه الكثار كالجواره والنواقيد النبي الأخين كروهوب كروي واستعمال أرساني که کرار رستید منته بای معتبرهی سنته بند روید عن کی ا أرسنتك كالميب الالباسة من المب لاحي زميندارون بعامت جي شور أن ويوست إخبابي إخان ب أوافي أمنان كاليعاقيس نصادا فمايين كالصريادا بعد ميان راستول في احداث يرات سيكي - متطرّ بارق ب -أمرت كاست آدووم يعتبي ادراون كأبداق تعتثت نگ گسایدا بدای آرای شام این جگسید این فریدی ماکان مان ک شده از در مادر شدی کاری ساخت الترام ووود وآنان كواي خربارة الركو يحقيق وج ٥٠٠ ان سدست ولي سامة مناسبة من ديادو المياب مال كرام مروق الك تاروب التياد مرسه كيء وحول ورفون كالم أ، وق شي شاش ميتان كي افي أيف بوق كيمرت مال فيمت بوشق كار

ا جا أنه م كامومه ورام في مدوق معنى أن من شق عول ا تعارب وأب مرتي تعقات وأيساهم معارر عزاياتها وأنجن توقيم فالراحة الوراج عنان فلاسته كسامره بال المتناه كي دارك اور صال دور او مفود بوسان والمشول كالمرازين والماجاتية والانامات الأفاء الكلية المستاكا مسباسية كالفارج والان والإيامكم الأوليج تباسفات فيج ممنية نعيل إلى ما يوادوري ورزان الشارتي وأواثلها وأنوطهم كالشينس إزهاسة للسائت بي كعن لدي تي مواسم سناوه شاخ صدر و الم كندور وكتنان سناتم أؤر كالصبيات والأباب بالفاق يا البحي ورست بتبه كروزي مغم وخرب مهراث بايسي الهدي ك مور يمتحم مك ي و فشيد دوروي علامتي نوهيت کي تحييل دهو په يسيول پيل وٺي را و مرکي اور ا كُونَ الْقَدَاقِ مُوزُ رَائِمَ مُنَ الْمُنْقِلِ الشَّيْرَاتِ مِنْ مُحْدِمُ ا تقييل بالبحي وجدنقي كمهانوا ومعلمه بإلمه مرنعي تعتقات الا بوالمرتج بداوكا تفاشن ويبا سبعيت عشت فا الده تل الموادية عاري بينور عن كرحم

کی حضرہ کردانی ایکھشش شیدا کی اندرونی محاق کا تاہمی وزیر اعظم سند ۱۹۹۰ میں استخابات ك فيتفل شراط في فيري دسال ويس ستشا التاركيان أس مصصل ينتواه وترم وبؤاه ومعرزي ك تمام تهيين اور مستكونيون كريمس دواب الكساسي يا شف موسنايي كم التخوت البينا فيفوال سكا منابق ١٩٩٠ من من كيد ميدار على في يعداك ه که مهدود زیره عم سک در میرن جمر سی ایم فایسی پا شوزاؤن کا محد شي آو و امکان د ب کي ب كرا التهيية الوقع كرام الرك مديق البينا وقت يري ا بول کے معین بارٹی جیسی اللہ مت بھی شا التابات کے والمعاد النعقاد منت بمت حي العيدين والسنة بين شرايد البني طوري التخابات كس شيتعل كوقيل كرسنير آوروبو تي بيد جوجيج مزشة مال تساه دان س أثرا كوتم مرسانين كامياب بوسدين كدودته في يتيكانا يافيد والحل من " شو الواحة " بين. - منته كالمانوشون في المينا بخسوس فيه منجيره الدازيس يدوخوني مرت عظ سابوتيج كوافهوس خياماليق واوهندوسه ويبسب سياس حمل وول س محرية كرستانين ويتجسنهمي شايدان بدرا يوجاسهوال

الين النونيج كالدوماني بيثواسي اورياجي ورست سي كد مينه حالس غنيه اپوز کسیشن کی جماعتیں ないかい かった しょうしゅん

مغان سيست بين ت يجائ خود الذاء في بينغ كي كوشش

كى بىيە 💎 ئۇرىگازالىرىقى ئوداپ تى انتى كەت آدى







سرعت انتكام يب راجيتوكاندام يحبب بحروس كاولاكامسنانذكروه بقي تواديث برتيط سكر وقست فيست تقيد



مقبوبند عيب علاقيات يوس فاسطين مفاهري كفلاف تشارك كمسكودانى كرف والح صيدون فوج اودعرب عودادوس كالساقعدر



غلب س متعین امری مرس ندوس بید شامل ایک جازیوان ایل فرد و کس شام و علی دور است متعین امریک مرس ندو بعد دت تصوی



سرمصلنكا كاايكت تأمخي باغث



الذران كالتيمين أيد فرف فالدني محافي الدائم

آرون جرتي كالياحة موسد في-

وقي فري و حالي مسلس ورقي فاردي وتا ويحدون

العاكلة السائيلي المتناور في والعنوي مون العاملين

ا هو ادار آن في بيداد در مده ايدا بيداي جي دان. خان دوليون هويت چي دولتر پران دان دان ايران کي

فيال وكلفات فتأبيه المراردة والعام سافتاني

الجوال وعدك مطاعة وجي أرواكونه أراق ب

روم الله أنه ومنزل بالي منها ولي سواري الحوارة سنان والشار

أنريل والبداوسة والإاه ببعاد فالداعور أسائل والتال

الكناج الميني فتواديسه أدويان فالتمتيم وستباب الهنا

وابز الانفوال أوابي المحل الرشي المعراج التحييب

المقاني العزارتي اورا والعربي وموقي ورثاه ماران تعل شهارتيها

الله كالروبية أوو مراحتي بالرقياء بالسيسانة بالتحدوري

خَالَ اور مُلَفِ فَأَنَّ مِنْ أُمُرُونِ إِنْ أَيْمِر الْمُراقِي اور المناخِل لا

کروپ 💎 عفامت استایی جس کی صدر شیاه انتق بر

عليف في الإست أيد موقع فقد الإناثل بدي أي الثيث مشكل من المثلث من الدول معاملة ب

اخلاف محل دميدان بي ري رقيه حدك تهري سدجي

الن ينبي أيف اليم أمروارا والهيد ب عدومت العداي حدو

نيا والحقن "ري ت بيف "ف الدف المناصرك أو

المحرضة والإجامعان قراراتي شادرا فبالمدجد

متعقد كراسة وجحي زورا فيستبدأ وتتأز وأرفي اوراسه اين

الجيالان أراي معاهمان كفائه اراي يراوي الوارا

في واو موارع متوجه متلا ورفي اور شافت ك

ورموان رياضه كونجي سوي مهدين مسرة الريبة من -

راجم والمنابل سبار جامت امناي ناجل سيأس

الراجية منك فالمنسد بشكر الية وفريد أأستى مشاور بو فارازي

أيام عالم أيسان فأراب متكم الأساء بالمواث

مال داوق علاق فامل ما من والدياليان بين كرو الى العدد مليت راقد مقل مند والمي الرب على المات التي الرق ب المعاملات على مراب الداو

ليواق ماء التحليات كي صورت من عن الحال أروب عن

شاهل الاست مستحسب أزادان المخابث الرسائع اورجد

التماع فيحوا والهياممان ورفي السوراعيق روب

له نظیر کے تاوی اور بیار اراث

میلز بارٹی کے بال ۱۹۸۵ء میں سابی هوري فوتی

مناسلة في أوفي معتقل وجه مودوا وحمل نند" أن أي أوانهوال

سنة عنى والمسينة تلوي شاوى كالبشن مناكم يوراكياء الناك

الثناءي كي فيرون الارتضائية ول سنتكي اورين الماقري يركب إليه

إس طرح بكرين اس من شمت مند من أفاق و منا

كي ليكن ان كي ساي التي كومت أي ما عوى طور زيتياز

ا بارٹی کزشتہ سال پالیسیوں کے انسسوری اسماول

المفتاداور مت كالعين كالتصيرة المالتكر والغاء

رى - بدياتى المحاوت ي وفوب دو منيز يارنى كالك

مطبط فكعد تقاس مسلف ديت فاوع ارجابت بوال مرمد

ين است في ت الكيز طور ير بمترنان ما معل دوست واسه

اين فيك في خوب كالدم بن يتنتيس كوند مرمدة

موب آارشني طور يراس كي طاقت كالتنصلنا جانب وجاب

ا اور مرحد کے نتائ کان کان فرق دونون صورون شرون الله الله الله الله

ك قياوت كي ازيت كافرق قراريايد اياسال ونباب ين يتياز

يارني كى قياد بدين ابم تربلوب كاسال البت بوكان بين

تعليه بمنواعي مياى ذعر على على شادى ميمد بمعد بين من دف

ا مِين شايد زياه و التيقت پيندان رويه اختيار 'لر نے م_ع مآل

مول _ ياليسول كالمتاركودد كرياور يارقي كم تلفشار

كودور كرك أيك والشح ممت كالتين سنة سال كن ترجيعات

اول مقام کا م*امل میرکا س*

اليمن باليمي، امريكي املاد

كزثت مال ياكتان سكراينى سانسسدان أاكز

ميدالقدير كالياكيا للدسب فيركاتمان والنوي أيك وحوك

والتدبوا جس من أمرصاحب سصيد والاستوب كياكيا

ا قاكد ياكنتان سدّايتم بم مناليزب- بعديش الساعة بي كى

ترويد موقى نيكن بعض عنقاس التدير معررب كرائد ويوهج

بهارت/ورامریکهسے

انك شراائه على الم

تقات كي دوركا

الين توال الوسنة والمرافع وسال. - الين توال الوسنة والمرافع وسال.

الوزيش ملك شفيه حال جعري أنه الداري أروالها

ال منعود في شوعول النوال ومناهوامنا برارمها

ه ت سندا آلونت و باق فردول پر ۱۰ سند ۱۹۰۱ و موسند

كالمتفاية فالمائي وطأس أعمد وأنياه ويوسع

تحوق أراو تنفي كالتيجيب موادوا أعاديل

والعودة والمستقد العارا فوالش سالبانك

يِنَا أَنْ فَعَ مِنْ أَنِهُ إِنِواهِ بِينَّ رَفَعَا فَعَالِمَ مُواهِ مُن أَبِهِ فِي زُولِتِهِ .

ي الشخ برق ما عنها أبواً ما ما اليح أو ما الا

تقيداس والأيت ساعيد المادان والماوا والمر

الله المواد فض الرصيراء فوه إلى أبو وكل عدائ

كالم الدين وتتوزي في مك القياد كرده واست سندة سنة

و الشيخ الخنت في الحوادوب الماران والإنجوال العالمتير

رواي آرايي مي جويت والديث المؤدعة بدوج المالة. وهذا المزي الميان ووص المياني في عليه الريء

عزي ورفي سندر بالمدخفي حور والفيء والمسبوك والبد

الصرائد أي واليساوجو محملي بنهاه والراست ميان وجزاليان

والحاجه العل الق المن العماد المام من المام المن المناه

ي سال الله الله الله الله معادود وقول من الما يمن

أنباق عضب والبدل كروساء فالمستعفي بوقل او

عَيْنَ إِن فَى لَدُ رَاهِ فَي الشَّيْتَ عِندالِهِ أَرَاهُ وَيَن مُتَ

الم أربية الرائع إلى في المام والعال كالوال على

ين سُ سَد بن بدخي بين بالله على ساعدايم

ووماي عنامتي سنا تشاء وسنا يزلك كالباد الأوتي

منتنى والأربي فالكر فتومت وراي كاديس سيتاجس والابن

وسنو والمنا أتعمال منتول ستان أوار ووو بازوزي

مناه وأيدر الراوموان معم ايدان باراد

وأتي بدويجي أحساب أأمول ببسايا سندكم محفأ أأسته

ي و حي رفيدي سب

والتريب كالربيان وقات كالبيديثة لاستا والمع

مع كي الديد عصد الين قريق المراس أو المينة

العياب بت منتلق موسة يرجي الاب الام أي مرضه

اليمنادقالي صغيرهما الماقية فشنت وكاندن سنبيشه

المهريد ويحتونب مم مسال بينا أرست فأمسيال والمجا

وستاني والبيان الشريعية فالمنوط ينحاف ومعرف

ت بالتان بعد من و يرام في الحدد من التي

وخنب وعزال كام بسيالهم كأزه ألهائد ويأمالا

والتون فعالتين فاراي إلي إلين كوقيت بعد عوريا مركه

المتعارض أوأستيت من مكتاموهي والدوية الافا

والعنق تسام مصاحبة تزائر مقاق عنوا تثبياه غو

البركيسيد وأمثان كالهب عنيدستا يسخرف يفر

بعرياستان ترويلي تطون اسمي تغي والمرام أوي وركطة

الندوسا والداول معقى كرانيسا يهشد فيل لأكرسات

الحد كالعادوي بكن مزيقه بحائج اعن كييناه فتشراكمي

أوالتري والنواولين ليسام فسأمرج الصائحتنات

البت التي بت أود من هرفها لارت منداج المن فالمث

الماسى ك قيام أي راو كاسب سعاية روالك بالتون على

الدينان كاليدن معايتهم فكالمبث بالماث

الشوقي رواص كالخدر أرداب الدوداسة بحارت سكا

متاب بي وقي مرار محمد موت او مرمي كا

الميان والماهدين فعلمت المشيها وماكل مناق

التمام أوشقول كالبابغور تعبنون سند بعرجه رسيدجون

أبيا مثائم فومنطاحي متعهم كاليت شبيتي فرست شدعودي

استعاراً وبندومنه بين من في متوجم اولياً ووونسة كا

والدهايق تعوارتي بنياء النواس بالمدعدي

التوات بالمنظ الوكسا وثبوت بيد كنطوس ورادو مجد

الرقوي فل مرام رياسيك عن يأشان ساخي

يوراه ويفاجم مفرتي بتعيدك حرريستون كرتي

أستزعت سال وأستان كالانتي يروكراه مني اوراتك

الدُقَّةِ في مع يُه أيك من من من موضوع دو بينه بيَّسَ به شور

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CRICKET RETAINS NO. 1 SPOT AMONG EXPATRIATES

Kuwait's soccer squad nears its goal

By Yawar Maqsood Sports Editor

KUWAIT'S triumphs on the soccer field and superb organisation of international events will remain the enduring sporting memory of 1987.

For the first time in nearly five years, the Kuwait national soccer team seemed to have regained the hrilliance which took it into

the World Cup finals in 1982.
With the first round of the qualifiers for the 1988 Olympics completed. Kuwait was happily placed at the top of their group which includes Iraq. Saudi Arabia and Qatar.

Kuwait were held to a goalless draw in Qatar but beat the toughest teams, Saudi Arahia and Iraq, in their home-leg games. With three more games to come, including a home tie against Qatar, Kuwaitisexpected to take its place at the Seoul Games harring a sudden loss of form by the

Appointment The turn in Kuwait soccer team's fortunes seems to have come through the appointment of Sheikh Fahd Al Ahmed, the chairman of the Olympic Council of Asia, as the president of the Kuwait Foothall Association.

It was Sheikh Fahd who guided the soccer team to the 982 World Cup finals and with him back at the helm of affairs. Kuwait's fortunes seem on the

While the soccer team was engaged in trying to regain its lost glory, Kuwait earned a lot of praise for its excellent organisation of three international

The first of these events, the Kuwait International Rally, was organised in March and won by Qatar's Saeed Al Hajri. The rally which had been dropped in 1985 because of some sloppy organisation in 1984 earned good marks this year and the organisers were hoping to improve on this performance in the coming

Kuwait's handling of the Asian Volleyball Championships proved to the world that it was ready to organise bigger events. The organisers were commended for their efforts by the president of the International



Ali Al Bloushi (right) won the gold medsi for Kuwait.

Volleyball Federation and also hy all the heads of delegation which took part in the event.

Not only did Kuwait do well in organising this event, it also qualified for the playoffs for the 1988 Olympics by finishing fourth after Japan, China and South Korea.

As the year ended, Kuwait did marvellous joh at organising the 13th Asian Boxing Championship. The president of the International Boxing Federation, Anwar Choudhry, said that Kuwait had proved that it was ready to host even higger events. Kuwait also won a gold medal and a silver at the event.

Kuwait's riders carried on where they left last year and enhanced their reputation on the international scene.

Jamila Al Mutawa was named

the Best Arah Rider at the Dubai Horse Show. She won the Duhai Television Stakes and was second in the Port Rashid Authority Stakes. Captured

Jamila's sister. Nadia, brought home two medals more by finishing second in two events - the Etienne Stakes and Dunhill Cup. The Etienne Stakes was won by Kuwait's Rakad Al Thaffeiri. He also finished first in the Emirates Golf Club Stakes. In the same event, young Nadir Ibrahim topped the Junior News Stakes.

Jamila did quite well on the local scene also by winning the Ainit's Cup. Nadia finished second in the same event. Lamya Al Issa scored a victory in the Dunhill Showjumping Competi-

did not fare very well. It won only one medal at the Asian Track and Field Championship — a silver through Jasim Al Duwella in the 400 metres hurdles. Jasim later won a bronze in the Arab Athletics Championships in Algiers. Ghanim Gohar, however,

captured a gold medal in the Arab meet in the javelin throw, Also at the same meeting, Mohammed Zankawi. Riyad Abdullah and Smeh Farhan won bronze medals.

Kuwait's tennis players

proved that they were the best in the region when they won both the titles in the open and under-14 category at the GCC Tennis Championship after a close competition with Bahrain.

Kazmah Soccer Club added to Kuwait's victories by finishing first in the GCC Soccer Clubs Championship while Hahih Ahmed Saleh got a gold medal at the World Fencing Challenge for the handicapped.
On the local soccer scene, Kaz-

mah saw its Kuwait Soccer League title for the 1986-87 season snatched away in the same year by Al Arabi when the Kuwait Foothall Federation decided to finish the 1987-88 season hy November to give enough time to the national team to practice for the Seoul Games

Remained Among the expatriates, cricket remained the most popular sport. More tilan 40 tournaments were still being held while some of the finals for the

1986-87 tournaments were held

late this year. In the finals held this year various trophies were won by the

following: Gulf Bank Trophy 1986-87 ---Starlite; Malhotra Trophy - Kifco; Burgan Bank Trophy 1986-87 — Unity: GCL Trophy 1986-87 - Evergreen who also retained the trophy this year; Bawa Shield — BKME; Kifco

Ida Ferns Memoriai tournament.

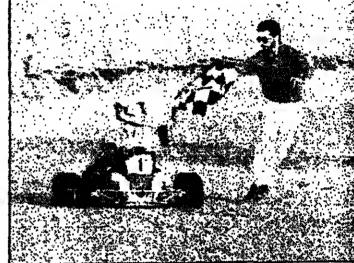


Evergreen.
On the golf course, Fathi Al Khadra became the first Kuwaiti to win the Kuwait Golf Championship. In some of the other golf tourneys, K.H. Chung fini-shed first in the Stableford Competition, Jeong Sool Meng won the Al Farsi Trophy, and Stephen Watters captured the Sheikh Sabah Trophy.

Major

The Filipinos, who have become a major sports force in Kuwait, staged their annual tournaments again this year. The format for the games was however changed this year. Unlike the previous years, when all the sports were held all at once, the events were scattered

all over the year. The Filipino basketball tournament sparked the most interest with KPBC emerging as champions after a close fight with EEI and Meridien who were second and third respectively. The prizes



Baker: seems to be heading towards the karting crown

were donated by the Arab Times. In the other Filipino events, the following emerged winners:

Bowling — Al Ghanim took
the men's title while National
Cleaning — Mobil Oil won the

women's title. Chess tennis and darts tournaments were all won by EEI.

The Arab Times, meanwhile, took a big step towards sponsoring big events by holding the First Kuwait Annual Offshore Powerboat Race. The race, which was somewhat marred by the strong winds on the day of the competition, attracted a lot of interest and will probably attract

a higger entry in the coming year.
A raft race was also held this year. It attracted over 30 entries and more than 4,000 spectators. The race was won by the

On the Kart track, Rob Baker remained as brilliant as ever and proved that the other drivers will have to come up with something extraordinary if they are to stop him from taking the National's Driver's Championship.

Baker has so far scored easy wins in four rounds of the event and seems to be cruising towards the title. The only time that Baker lost this year was in the Enduro, for the Ahmadi Drivers Challenge Cup, which was won by Eric Andrews.

On the football scene, Incredible won the first tournament of the year hy beating Goan Sporting to win the Youth Centre Football Trophy for the 1986-87 season.

In the other tournaments, Rising Stars won the Mitsubishi Galant Soccer Tournament, Incredible took the United Goans Trophy. Rising Stars cap-tured the Ida Ferns Memorial Trophy and Goa Maroons lifted the Salcete Gold Cup.

Unlucky

The Kuwait Nomads, mean; while, celebrated their 40th year of rugby in Kuwait by winning the Middle East XV-a-Side tonrnament in Bahrain. They were unlucky in the Rugby Sevens in Dubai where they lost in the final, after a closely fought match, to the host team.

Although Kuwait has done well in 1987 compared to the last five years, it has the potential to do better in 1988. It still needs to evaluate the status of the games and to plan well ahead so that it does not suffer another decline.

The sports movement in Kuwait has certainly regained its momentum but it is still far from the top. 1988 will probably determine how far, along this road of. success, it can go.

987: an eventful year for Kuwait's motorsport

By Gail Seery

1987 has been an eventful year for the KT Club Autosocrts association, and saw their return to the international rally scene after a year's absence from the Middle East Championship. Interest in the sport has undoubtedly been reviving in Kuwait, and an increasing number of new drivers have again been attracted 10 rallies. Local sponsors have responded to an extent, and we look forward to a more active new season.

1987 has also been a time of transition and growth, and leaves the association poised for change, having hopefully learnt from many of the mistakes of the last few years. The name and logo are in the process of changing, as is the committee itsetf, and more emphasis is to be placed on attaining some sort of corporate identity.

The outgoing chairman was forced to step down after an increasing amount of pressure from rank and file members, and

reigning drivers champion has taken his place, a step which the voting figures themselves showed to be eminently popular. He is ably supported on the committee by Ottomar Lange, Ghazi Al Zafiri. Wael Khoury and Imad Mahdi Hahib.

The Evergreen squad which won the most number of cricket trophies

Al Hilal won the drivers championship, with a very steady and lahorious approach. His Da hatsu Charade simply does not have the power of the group B rally cars it competes with, and an outright win in an event proved unattainable.

In fact Ahmed Al Hilal took his victory by steadily finishing with a good result; in the first round, he came in second to rival Ahmed Al Zafiri, dropped to sixth place in the second rally of the season, and was the second Kuwaiti entrant home in March's Kuwait International. Again, he took third place in the fourth and fifth rounds of the Championship, and finished 21 points ahead of his nearest challenger, Ahmed Al Zafiri. Hilal's co-driver Fahad Al



The Filipino basketball tournament sparked the most interest in

An action shot of Kuwait's qualifier against Irag.

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Tareq At Wazzan: makes a comeback

Rashed took the navigator's title by a comfortable margin. The pair took the championship for the second year running. showing again that a measured approach gets results, and that it can be better to finish, than to push 100 hard.

Ahmed Al Zafiri had a mixed season. He took a characteristically impressive 1st place in the first round, but he was unable to stari the International, and didn't finish the final round.

The last round of the season had the highest number of drivers ever, with a good number of newcomers, but the cstablished drivers, who might have posed a threat to Al Hilal, didn't compete in all five rounds. Lange took victory in the second round, but was post-excluded from the International, and didn't compete during the remainder of the season. Tareq Al Wazzan, now jointly sponsored by Marlhoro and Arab Times, made what he described as "a very long comeback", finally getting his car ready in time for the night rally, which was the fourth round of the championship. He won that event, and came second in

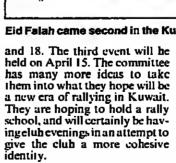
the final round, which brought him to eleventh place after only two events. Again. Eid Falah Al Farzan didn't get a realistically high result in any round, and didn't drive in the night rally. He came in 7th in the International Rally, after an event in which he was plagued with problems.

Rewarding

The new season will see all these drivers going out for a victory in the local championship, and should certainly be a rewarding series of events to watch.

Co-driver Khaled Khalifa came second, in the Navigators Championship, having split his time this season between Eid Falah and Tareq Al Wazzan. Third was Mohammed Al Zaid, co-driver to the consistently well placed Ali Birami. One problem that currently faces Kuwait's drivers is a shortage of good navigators; one local driver who has solved this is Tarey Alyan. who now drives with wife Khuloud Alyan as co-drive:

The new season opens with its first rally on January 15, with the second event being the Kuwait International Rally, a two day event, to be held on March 17



1987 also saw the inauguration of a new type of rally series, the Marlhoro Desert Challenge, which fittingly, eonsidering that it was Kuwait which held the first ever Middle East Rally, kicked off with the BP Jeep Rally in Kuwait on October 16. This was open to non-B seeded drivers, and Gulf residents,, and was initially envisaged as a low-cost

form of rallying. In many ways the Kuwait event was an experimental event which was not entirely successful. However, it did see an exciting contest develop between Ahmed Al Hilal, driving a works prepared Mitsuhishi Pajero, and Eid Falah driving a slandard

Range Rover. Mitsubishi were later criticised for coming into the challenge with a vehicle which effectively

Eid Falah came second in the Kuwalt leg of the Jeep Rally. reproduced the conditions of the Middle East Championship, a series which no driver who is not in a fully works prepared and supported specialist rally car can hope to win. However, the Range Rover ran only 14 seconds behind the first of the Pajeros, and a full 3 minutes 17 seconds ahead of the second, driven by

Champion.

Rising Stars won the Mitsubishi Galant Trophy. They also won the

Tony Jakeman of Mitsubishi explained later that the jeeps concerned were old, and not the top standard Pajeros which would be used in say, the Paris - Dakar event. However, this suggests that Mitsubishi expected to get their win in Kuwait easily, and that they perhaps underestimated the quality of the comnetition.

Ihrahim Mattar, the Bahrain

It has to be added that many of Kuwait's better drivers did not have the confidence in the series to spend the money required to prepare an adequate vehicle.

The event was expected to be widely attended by drivers throughout the Gull, hit opposition from the Al Nasr Club in Duhai wasstrong, and the expected parlicipation of Ahmed



Ahmed Al Hilal (right) and Al Reshed: excellent performance in the Jeep Rslly.



Tareq Al Alyan: performed wall in Chailenge Series.

Khalifa, Suhail Khalifa and Michel Saleh proved a false hope. The second event was held in

Bahrain on December 18, and the Kuwaiti teams were out in force, as it looked like a strong possibility that a Kuwait team would be able to claim the Challenge prize. A total of seven Kuwaiti entrants went - easily the highest number to compete in an overseas event at one time. The hopeful drivers were: Ahmed Al Hilal, Eid Falah, Tareq Alyan, Tareq Al Wazzan, Mubarak Al Omair, Ahmed Al Zaifiri, and newcomer Fuad Al Rasheed.

The Kuwaiti drivers put up 2 remarkable performance. Four of them finished among the top six. Al Wazzan was a little unlucky to finish second, after Qatari Abbas Al Mousawi.

Al Hilal secured the third position in Bahrain. Eid Falah came fourth and Tareq Alyan sixth. After three rounds of the Challenge series, Kuwaitis occupied the top three positions. Al Hilal was in first place. Alyan was lying second and Falah

With the last round to be held. in Jordan, the Kuwaiti drivers are now poised to take the top







Piquet (leading) won the Formula One drivers' title for the third time

UGLY DISEASE OF CROWD HOOLIGANISM SPREADS ACROSS EUROPE

Johnson's astonishing run highlights 1987 sporting year

LONDON, (Reuter) Few sporting clashes have been more keenly awaited than the 100 metres showdown between Hen Johnson and Carl Lewis at the Rome World Athletics Champion-hips last August.

And none can ever have exceeded expectations to the same extent, as the confrontation spurred Johnson to a teat that siond head and shoulders above any other in the 1987 year in

Established

Johnson not only went the contest to find the world's lastest man, but also smarked the world record by a phenomenal 0.10 of a second.

The powerful Canadian demolished the lisson Lewis. quadruple Olympic gold medallist, in a time of 9.83 seconds, Lewis equalled the previous record of 9.93 but finished a metre behind,

Twelve minutes later, Bulfirst tom: garia's Stefka Kostadinova soared through the warm night the You. air almost unnoticed to break her ophyfork- own world women's high jump record and after only two days er tournate competition the second World won the 1/2 Championships were firmly scer Ton established as 1987's prenner took ik sporting event.

thy Russey Johnson's incandescent per-da Fem y formance highlighted a special Goa Maint year in athletics.

The gifted Moroccan Said Aouita became the first man to run under 13 minutes for the 5,000 metres taking the world

vail North title with consummate ease ... And American Jackie Joyner Kuwath Kersee proved indisputably she East XV-45. is the greatest all-round women's Bahrain It athlete in the world, ending the the Rush's season with the world heptachlon

record and world champsonship Bet the suphorta after John-

sun yean was not to last. Within 24 hours. Lowis, was tellingany one who cared to intenthat all was far from well.

"I feel a strange out at these championships," he told a televwant interviewer. "A list of peaple have some from now terr and are running unbeliesably there are gold medalists at this more already that are on drugs,"

Lewis' accessions haunted the rost of the sporting year.
Australian, women's savelin thrower Sue Howland was bun-

ned from the World Championships after a positive test and Swiss 1,52st metres women's bronze medallist Sandra Gasser was beaned for two years after tading a dope test.

But use of bunned drugs was only one of many negative aspects of a turbulent year in which controversy blighted nearly all major sports.

Disease

There was little on-field socrer news in the full after last year's World Cup but the ugly disease of crowd hooliganism continued to spread across Furope. In Scotland, four players were

charged with criminal offences after a violent Glasgow match between Rangers and Celtic. In the Netherlands. European Championship qualitying tie against Cyprus was

halted for an hour after a firework was thrown on the pitch. injuring the Cypriot goalkeeper. And in the South Union, police watched helplessly as rival gangs armed with bricks, rocks and clubs buttled on a railway

Acrimony dogged Formula



Johnson (right) outclassed Lawls on his way to the 100 metres world record.

One motor racing where Nelson world number one. Navratilova won the Wim-bledon and US Open titles but Piquet, who became world champion for the third time, and his Williams teammate and run-Graf earned top ranking with 11 ner-up Nigel Mansell were barely

on speaking terms. There was strife at the Belgian Grand Prix when Mansell attentpigdjoassault fellow-driver Ayrton Senna after a race incident. In Mexico, Senna slapped a marshall after another mishap. Cycling was another sport

afflicted by drogs, affecting even the Tour de France.
Two riders, including stage winner Guido Bontempi of Italy, were fined and given suspended

one-month sentences after

positive dope tests. Completed

But Stephen Roche became Ireland's hero when he added the Tour to his Giro d'Italia triumph. He completed a treble unly achieved by Belgian Eddy Merckx by winning the World Championship Road Race in

Horse racing was marred by the jailing of former top jockey Lester Piggot for three years for

tax evasion. Tennis was virtually troublefree as Ivan Lendl stood master of almost all he surveyed, although his ruthless efficiency was nnt in everybody's taste.

Lendl was clearly the year's best, winning seven tournaments including his third French, US Open and Musters titles.

He was denied the Wimbledon crown in the final by dashing Australian Pat Cash, who hlended consistency with his customary athleticism.

Former world number John McEnroe, however, had another difficult year and was suspended for two months after a vitriolic at

Steffi Graf, 18 replaced Martina Navratilova, 31, as women's



Aoulta indicates that he is number one in the world after breaking the 13-minute barrier.

Lucrative tournament wins including the French Open
Mike Tyson continued his

aweronic progression, ending his year by destroying Olympic champiun Tyrell Biggs tii seven rounds to retain all three versions of the heavyweight boxing title. But Tyson, who has injected excitement into the heavy weight scene, had his problems outside

Charges of assault and hattery after an incident in a parking lot were dismixed under a law allowing judges to use their discretion if victims were compensated

ni a settlement. The year's most electrifying boxing came from Sugar Ray Leonard.

Leonard, in only his second fight in five years, terminated Marvelous Marvin Hagler's seven-year reign as middleweight champion in boxing's most lucrative light with a classic exhibition of counter-punching and showmanship.

Thomas Hearns became the first to hold titles in four divisions in taking the World Boxing Council middleweight title.
The initial rugby World Cup
was won by New Zealand and
Australia won the fourth one-

day cricket World Cup. The Rueby Cup was free of incident but this month two Frenchmen were charged with involuntary murder after a

A tan wavea an American ting as the Stars and Stripes is towed for the race in which it won the

club match.

And cricket, long associated with sportsmanship, showed its dark side when a sauabble between England captain Mike Gutting and a Pakistani umnire almost wrecked England's four

But thankfully some sports remained free from controversy Jahangir Khan, unbeuten for five-and-a-half years on the squash circuit, reimquished the number one spot to is-year-old Jansher Khan. By year's end, Jansher had taken his win tally to seven straight over his fellow-Pakatan:

Pirmin Zuroriggen became only the second man after France's Jean-Claude Killy to win four World Cup Alpine skiing titles in a season dominated by

But as the new season opened with skiers looking to the Winter Olympics, an Italian paramilitary policeman stole the limelight.

Alberto Tomba, nicknamed 'The Beast' because of his aggressive style, won four successive races and looked certain to star in

Maintained

The sporting year had a spar-kling start as Dennis Conner's Stars and Stripes won the America's Cup for the San Diego Yacht Club by 4-0 against Aus-tralian defender Kookaburra

Golf was one sport which maintained its high standards. Europe's Ryder Cup team stunned the Americans in Muirfield Village, Ohio, by retaining their title

Europe's team were eestaue, the United States were shartered. But non-playing American captain Jack Nieklaus recovered almost instantly to offer his congratulations as tears fell unashamedly from golfers and spectators alike.



Tyson was crowned undisputed world champion after winning the WBC, WBA and IBF titles.





Satting (Lett) and Pakistani umpire Shakoor Rana were involved in a quabble which shook the cricket world.



Lendt remained undisputed king of tennis but lost the Wimbledon



America's Cup.

Graff replaced Navratilova as women's world No. 1



Jansher (right) beat Jahangir sevan times this year to become world No. 1.

Kuwait's

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KUWAIT Stop riders are expec-

ted to be in the thick of the action

when the biggest motocrnss

event ever to be held in the Gulf.

roars to life in Dubai next month.

The Kuwait motorcycle club has been invited to send a team to

compete in the Emirates Dubai

International Motocross Chall-

the event is being organised hy Dubai Dirt Donks, who have

also invited teams from Kuwail

and Oman to join them in race

action alongside five talented

The event is a major step in the

Dirt Donk's plan to stimulate

growth — in the UAE and around the Gulf—in a sport that has a huge following in Europe and America. And it is likely to

become an annual fixture on the

Leading up to it will be a series

of motocross schools, run by

highly-experienced instructors.

which will be open to riders of all

All the activity will take place

at Duhai's Al Nasr Raceway.

standards, including novices.

Gulf's sporting calendar.

Squash rankings

SPORTS BRIEFS

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): Jansher Khan ended Jahangir Khan's six-year reign as the world leading squash player when he took over at the top of the latest rankings issued by the International Squash Players's Association today. Jahangir, five times world champion, was deposed by fellow-Pakistani Jansher for the first time since taking the top ranking of January

World Series

MELBOURNE, Dec 30. (Reuter): Australia replaced legspinner Peter Sleep with off-spinner Peter Taylor in their 12-man squad for the World Series Cup starting on January 2.

Norwich manager

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): English First Division club Norwich City today confirmed Dave Stringer as their new manager. Stringer has been manager in a caretaker role since Ken Brown was dimissed in November.

Terry Fenwick

LONDON, Dec 30, (Reuter): Former England defender Terry Fenwick agreed to leave Queen's Park Rangers and sign for Tot-lenham in a £550,000 (\$1.02 million) transfer deal 10day.

Alpine skiing

BOLZANO, Italy, Dec 30, (AP): A men's downhill and a super-G. cancelled for lack of snow in Garmisch. West Germany, have been rescheduled in the French resort of Val d'Isere on Jan 9-10, the president of the World Cup

Alpine skiing said Ioday. Seoul medals

SEOUL, South Korea, Dec 30, (AP): The Seoul Olympic Organising Committee displayed today samples of medals to be awarded to the top placers at oext year's Seoul Olympics.

Top contender

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec 30, (Reuter): Claiborne Farm's Forty Niner, top contender for the US two-year-old thoroughbred championship, leads a handful of candidates nominated for the 1988 Kentucky Derby. Preakness and Belmont Stakes, Triple Crown Productions said yesterday.

Yacht race

SYDNEY, Dec 30, (Reuter): Australian maxi yacht Sovereign became the fifth boat to the 43year history of the Sydney to Hobart race to win both line and handicap honours today.

Nelson Piquet

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec 30, (Reuter): Brazil has named two of its top race tracks after threetime world Formula One champion Nelson Piquet, government sources said yesterday.

NBA games NEW YORK, Dec 30. (Reuter):

Results of National Basketball Association (NBA) games played yesterday (only games scheduled): Milwaukee 106 New Jersey 88

Houston 101 Detroii Portland 117 New York 98 117 Atlanta 108 Chicago Dallas 126 Kings 98 131 97 114 Utah Denver Lakers 76ers



Paradise beat **Eleven Stars**

match at the Airport ground earlier this week.

181 for the loss of seven wickets. 75 runs. Maqsood hit 25. Nasir 21 and Anwar 20.

Unbeaten In reply, Eleven Stars were all out for 82. Feroz with 21 and

Aslam with an unbeaten 13 were the only batsmen to reach the double figures.

ball hy capturing five wickets. Khalid supported him with four scalps.

BORDER & CO. CLINCH TEST SERIES

Australia hold out against Hadlee onslaught

MELBOURNE. (Reuter): Australia's last pair held out for four overs in the face of a rampant Richard Hadlee to draw the third and final Test against New Zealand today and win the series 1-0.

Australia, set 247 to win after dismissing New Zealand for 286 in the first over today, finished on 230 for nine, giving Allan Border his first series success as Aus-. tralian captain.

Australia had appeared well set for victory when Border took them to within 100 runs of the required total for the loss of three

But the dismissal of the Aus-Iralian left-hander, lhw to Hadlee for 43, sowed doubt amongst his teammates. Wickets fell steadily and the New Zealand fielders closed in.

Hadlee 100k five wickets for the 32nd time in his Test career, moving alongside England's lan Botham as the most successful bowler in Test history with the dismissal of Tony Dodemaide. the ninth Australian to be dismis-

The 36-year-old mediumpacer looked set to take a record 374th Test scalp as number 11 Mike Witney joined Craig McDermott at the wicket.

With the score on 227 for nine. Australia were still 20 runs away from victory and the two decided

CALCUTTA, Dec 30, (Reuter):

India's captain Dilip Vengsarkar

completed his second series hun-

dred against West Indies today

hut was then ruled out of the

remainder of the third Test when

fast bowler Winston Davis hroke

India were on 521 for seven in

reply to West Indies' first innings

Expected

on 102, the same score he made in

the first Test, is expected to be out

for two weeks which means he

will miss three one-day inter-

nationals and may be unavaila-

hle for the fourth and final Test

starting in Madras on January

in the morning when Vengsarkar

lost Mohammed Azharuddio

with one run added to India's overnight total of 304 for three.

Courtney Walsh made the break-

through with the help of a superb

diving catch at forward short leg

PARIS, Dec 30, (Reuter): The

Paris-Dakar motor rally, which takes cars, trucks and motor

hikes along a 13,000 km trek through the histering heat of the Sahara Desert, began today in the mud of northern France.

Some 602 vehicles took part in

a prologue to the marathon rally.

Held around a muddy 4.5 km circuit at Cergy-Pontoise, north-

west of Paris, it was in sharp

contrast to the searing desert

Suzuki, won the motorcycle sec-

tion in four minutes 25 seconds as

LONDON, Dec 30, (AP): While

Liverpool's star-studded team

hurtles towards an expected

ninth English soccer title in 13

seasons, a line-up of less familiar

names has taken up the challenge

of stopping the mighty Mer-

ten-point lead atop the stand-ings, second placed Nottingham

Forest, which has replaced

Arsenal as elosest challenger,

reckons it could soon be snapping at the high-flying leader's heels.

Consecutive

Managed by Brian Clough. who guided Forest to success in

challenger does not have the

pedigree to stay the course. While Liverpool's team is hul-

ging with high-priced stars.

including five players who have

cosi £4.7 million (\$8.7 million) in

the past ien months. Forest's is a

leam of comparative nohodies.

Although Liverpool holds a

seyside cluh.

Belgian Guy Huynen, riding a

heat that awaits compediors.

hy Gus Logie.

The match came alive briefly

Vengsarkar, who retired hurt

total of 530 for five declared.

At the close of the fourth day

a bone in his left hand.

to play for a draw.

Hadlee and fellow-paceman Dany Morrison, making every hall count, caused hoth men regularly to play and miss while frequent appeals for lhw went unanswered.

Whitney, playing his first test for six years in Australia, was left to face the last over from Hadiee as 21,000 Australian fans hardly dared to look.

But Whitney was up to the task, punching the air with joy as he kept out the last ball. Hadlee. later named Man of the Match and Man of the Series, was the first to congratulate him and the two left the pitch arm in arm. Hadlee finished with five for

65. After his five wickets in the first innings he became the first howler to capture 10 or more wickets in a Test eight times. Until today Border had not won a series, and only five Tests.

since taking over from a tearful Kim Hughes after the second Test against the West Indies in 1984-85. Australia won the first Test in Brisbane hy nine wickets and

drew the second in Adelaide. Another victory had seemed almost a foregone conclusion at lunch when Australia, having ridden their luck, were 52 for one

with David Boon 24 not out. Boon and Geoff Marsh were dropped in the slips by the Crowe brothers before Marsh was dis-

Vengsarkar breaks bone after hitting ton



Hadlee: equals Botham's record

missed for 23, caught by John Bracewell at second slip off

Dean Jones survived his normal torrid welcome from Hadlee but then fell to the gentle medium pace of Ewen Chatfield, becoming the 37-year-old bowler's first

An Indian official said Richards had abused Reporter

for turning down the appeals and

according to a source the Indian board will make an official com-

plaint to their West Indian coun-

In the event Azharuddin's

departure did little damage to the

Indian cause with Ravi Shastri,

under pressure to score runs,

making an impressive 47 out of a fifth-wicket stand of 98.

on Walsh, whose eight overs dur-

ing the day cost 49 runs. Davis bowled a sleadier line to remove

Shastri, playing down the wrong

line, and Kapil Dev who looked

unhappy to be given out lbw by

reach his 17th Test hundred with

Vengsarkar kept going to

Shastri was particularly severe

Border looked uncomfortable hut Boon was in fine fettle, hitting Morrison for consecutive fours to bring up his 50. He tried

Kiran More and Arshad Ayuh took the total past 500 before More, who made 44, was dismis-

sed by Richards, Richie Richard-

son holding a splendid running

Ayuh stayed until the close when he was 43 not out with six

Scoreboard

WEST INDIES first innings 530 for five declared (G. Greenidge 141, G. Logie 101, C. Hooper 100 not out) INDIA first innings (overnight

M. Azharuddin · c Logie b Walsh ... 60

K. More Richardson b Richards....44

To bat: Maninder Singh Bowling to date: Patterson 17-0-89-

score 304 for three) K. Srikkanth e Dojon b Walsh.

D. Vengsarkar retired hurt ...

A. Lal Ibw b Walsh

M. Amarnath b Davis.

R. Shastri b Davis Kapil Dev Ibw b Davis

Extras (b-9 th-20 nb-28) ...

305 5-403 6-410 7-505

A. Ayub not out.... C. Sharma not out

catch at point.

caught close in for eight.

victim of the series when he was

for a third in the same over, mis-timed his drive and Martin

Crowe took his second catch of the day. Boon hit 54.

The pattern of Australia losing a wicket just when they were in control continued with Border's dismissal. Waugh was next to go for 10 with the score on 176.

Peter Sleep and Mike Veletta took the attack to New Zealand, hitting several crisp houndaries. before Sleep fell lbw to Hadlee

With the score sitll on 209 Veletta was seventh out for 39. well caught hy Dipak Patel off John Bracewell. Defeat was suddenly more likely than victory.

Greg Dyer, no stranger to controversy in this match, was the cause of further disbelief among the New Zealanders when they claimed a catch off the batsman's glove. As Dyer ruhbed his chest, umpire Tony Craster gave him

A few balls later Dyer was gone anyway, caught by wicketk-ceper lan Smith — who struggled through the day with a hroken finger — off Hadlee for four.

Tony Dodemaide and McDermott added II hefore Dodemaide departed, setting the scene for the final nail-hiting act.

Scoreboard NEW ZEALAND first imings 317 (J. Wright 99, M. Crowe 82 C. McDermott five for 97, M. Whitney four for 92).

AUSTRALIA first innings 357 (P.

LAHORE, Pakistan, Dec 30,

(Reuter): Pakistan crickel

officials have made another plea

to former captain Imran Khan to

come out of retirement and lead

the side on the forthcoming tour

Imran, who quit international

cricket after leading Pakistan in the recent World Cup, has

previously resisted appeals from

officials and fans to stay on as

ljaz Butt. secretary of the Pak-

istan Cricket Board (BCCP),

said a formal request had been

made to Imran to change his

decision following a statement by his successor, Javed Miandad, that he wanted to give up the

Promised

ment from Imran, hut Butt said

the 35-year-old allrounder had

promised to "think over the mat-

"If Imran reconsiders his

decision and leads the Pakistan side to the West Indies, it will be a

great service to the game of

cricket in Pakistan and to the

There was no immediate com-

of the West Indies.

captaincy.

Pakistan officials plead

with Imran to return

Sleep 90, R. Hadlee five for 109) NEW ZEALAND second innings overnight 285 for nine) P. Horne e Boon b Dodemaide

J. Wright b Sleep ... A. Jones run out. M. Crowe c Border b Dodemaide .. 79 J. Crowe e Booo h Sleep D. Patel e Dyer b Dodemaide. R. Hadlee lbw b Sleep. Barcewell e Veletta b Dodemaide l

. Smith c Dyer b Dodernaide 12 D. Morrison b Dodemaide ... E. Chaffield not out Extras (b-2 lb-8 mb-1). Total.

Veletta e Patel b Bracewell ... Waugh c Patel b Chatfield Sieep lbw b Hadlee G. Dyer e Smith b Hadlee.... A. Dodemaide fow b Hadlee. McDermott not out...

5-176 6-209 7-209 8-216 9-227 Bowling: Hadlee 31-9-67-5 (3nb), Morrison 16-2-54-1 (1nb), Chattield 21-6-41-2, Bracewell 24-5-58-1.

Result — match drawn. First Test — Australia won by nine

starting with the first instructional session run hy Tim Mauhews and Roger Harvey of the Motocross Academy of the UK.

Matthews, and Harvey, man-ager of Yamaha's World Cham-Second Test — Drawn Australia win series 1-0. pionship team and a former 125cc British champion, will spearhead a formidable UK

challenge during the Emirates Dubai International event. They will link up with Kevin Froud and Perry Leask — both among the top 40 riders in the

UK — and talented teenager Colin Thomas. All the five-man teams will take part in a three-race international class series, while there will also be support class races for all-comers, and 80cc events

for riders under 14. This burst of motocross activity stems from the Diri Donks flying visit to the UK -

courtesy of Emirates — in July, for the British Grand Prix. "We made a lot of good contacts there, including the people at the motocross academy," said the club's chairman, Andy Thomas, who believes the Dubai International Challenge could mark the start of a hig increase in popularity of the sport in the UAE.

Queen honours Cotton

LONDON, Dec 30, (AP): Golfer Henry Cotton, who died three days before Christmas, heads the list of sportmen and women named in Queen Elizabeth II's New Year honour's list.

and Amiss

The 80-year-old pioneer of modern golf, who was buried on Saturday alongside his late wife, Toots, in Portugal, was awarded what was believed to be the first.

posthumous knighthood. Cotton died Dec 22, having already been told of the honour. Among other British sports figures to receive awards were "Buzzer" Haddingham, chairman of the All England Lawn

Tennis and Croquet Club at Wimhledon and British Open golf champion Nick Faldo. Haddingham is made a CBE (Commander of the Order of the

British Empire) while Faldo receives the MBE (Member of the Order of the British Empire).
Other MBEs go to cricketer Dennis Amiss, who made 50 Test (international) appearances for England and last season scored his 100th century in first class cricket, world and Olympic rowing gold medallist Andy Holmes

and shot-putter Judy Oakes. The list of honours was submitted carlier this month and Cotton knew of his knighthood before his death, a spokesman for Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher said.

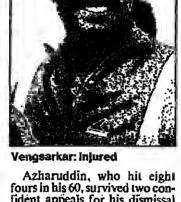


PARADISE Cricker Club bear Eleven Stars Cricker Club by 99

consecutive years in the European Champions Cup eight years ago, the team of youngsters from central England runs in a Quaid-e-Millat Trophy has overtaken mightier sides Batting first, Paradise scored sueh as Arsenal, Manehester United and Everton, to challenge

Latif was the highest scorer with Forest now has a game in hand on Liverpool and still has to play the Merseysiders twice.
A glance at the Forest line-up would suggest, however, that the

Latif, after performing well with the bat, excelled with the



fident appeals for his dismissal on Monday, decisions that led to a bitter row between umpire Piloo Reporter and West Indian captain Viv Richards. **Muddy start for Paris-Dakar Rally**

dozens of his fellow riders slith-

ered and crashed in the deep

Frenchman Pierre Lartigue

driving a four-wheel drive Mit-

subishi Pajero won the car and

truck section in four minutes and

two seconds, 29 seconds ahead of

compatriot Raoul Raymondis io

Leave

The drivers, accompanied by a massive team of back-up vehi-

cles, leave the southern French

port of Sete on January I for

Algiers to start a 20-day trek

through Algeria, Niger, Mali.

a Range Rover.

terparts.

Mauritania and Senegal.

Reporter for four.

II fours with a single off Clyde Butts but was then felled by Davis as he failed to pull away in time from a sharply rising hall.
"He has fractured his left hand and will be out of cricket for at least two weeks," said Indian team manager G.S. Ramchand.

The Sahara Desert is known to

take a heavy toll on drivers, and

several have died in the 10-year

history of the race. It is common-

place for drivers to go missing for

several days in the uninhabited

regions of the Algerian Sabara. The 1988 course takes drivers

through eastern Algeria, close to

the borders of Tunisia and Libya.

top rally drivers and, this year.

they are joined by eight former Formula One racing drivers, including Jacques Lafitte, Jacky

Ickx and Clay Regazzoni.

The race attracts the world's

0, Walsh 24-3-117-3, Davis 27-3-84-3, Butts 50-13-123-0, Richards 24-7-39-1, Hooper 20-5-40-0. Paraguay names new coach

ASUNCION, Dec 30, (Reuter): Paraguay has appointed a new

Foothall League, said yesterday. He said Juan Angel Romero. 51, would start work next month to prepare a team for South American Group Two qualifying matches against Colombia

The winners of the group will

national soccer team coach for the qualifying rounds for the 1990 World Cup, Jesus Pallares, president of the Paraguayan

and Ecuador in 1988.

face the winners of playoffs between Australasian countries and

20-year-old Des Walker and

Franz Carr, have graduated

through Forest's youth teams.

Last summer, Clough surprised observers when he jettisoned

established stars such as Chris

Imran: has resisted appeals

so far home series against England after the World Cup, said last week he wanted to give up the captaincy to concentrate on his batting.
Pakistan will play three Test

young and upcoming cricketers of the country," he said. Miandad, who led Pakistan to matches and five one-day internationals in their eight-week tour 1-0 victory in the three-Test which begins on March 5.

Derlin overcomes Davis

WELLINGTON, Dec (Reuter): Eighth seed Marty Davis of the United States fell to lowly-ranked New Zealander Bruce Derlin in the second round of the New Zealand Grand Prix tennis tournament here today.

Derlin, with a world ranking

since it began on Monday.

of 205, beat Davis 6-4 3-6 9-7 in three hours after adapting better Forest's youngsters chase high-flying Liverpool

Fairclough, Dutchman Johnny Metgod, Ian Bowyer and Garry Birtles. Dipping cagily into the transfer market, he came up with central defender Colin Foster, a

£50,000 (\$92,000) huy from Fourth Division Orient and

Tommy Gaynor, who cost £25,000 (\$46,000).

On Monday Gaynor, who

struggled to get a place in Third

Division Doncaster Rovers, line-

up, scored twice as Forest whip-

ped FA (Football Association) cup holder Covenity City 4-1.
The colourful, often outs-

poken Clough, sometimes is criticised for not giving sufficient

After Monday's come-frombehind victory, however, he

admitted that even the cham-

pionship sides he had led had not

given him as great a thrill as the

present squad.
"I have been prescriated with

some genuinely good sides in my time. But I don't think any of

them compare with this one."

"Their honesty and commit-ment shows itself all the time. If it hadn't against Coventry, we would have been beaten.

some outstanding youngsters

and it is extremely satisfying to

see them develop together in the First Division, "he said.

"We always knew we bad

Clough said.

praise to his own team.

to the strong winds which have affected the \$150,000 contest

Fourth seed Andrei Chesnokov of the Soviet Union was in trouble early against Australian Brod Dyke hut recoverd to win another three hour match 5-7 6-2

PSG remain on

Cruyff's trail PARIS, Dec 30, (Reuter): Paris Saint-Germain hope to lure Dutch soccer legend Johan Cruyff to France as their new coach, club president Francis Borelli said today.

In an interview with the French sports daily Le Sport. Borelli said he had been unable to contact Cruyff because the Dutchman was on holiday.

"He will be back at the end of the month. At that point events eould take a favourable turn, Borelli said.

Ishtiaq Hussain Shah (right), winner of the Al Adan Open

tennis tournament receives his prize from the prezident of the Al Adan Tennis Club, Dr Faisat, ishtiaq beat Emmed Hamouda 6-37-5 in the final. This tournament is held annually at the Al Adan Hospital tennis courts.

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Take away midfielder Neil

Webb and left-back Stuart, who

recently have fought their way

into the England line-up, and

striker Nigel Clough, the man-

ager's son, and the team is made

Gaynor (right): being congratulated by his team-mates efter scoring against Coventry.

One.

up of young players who are just

making the grade in Division

Most, like teenagers Steve

Chettle, Terry Wilson, Lee Glover and Phil Starbuck and

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